IN PREPARATION. DIRECTORY & CHRONICLE FOR 1912.

Complete Edition ... \$10.00

Order now direct, or from the Agents in-all—the Foreign Settlements throughout the

ESTABLISHED 1857.

No. 16,750 號十五百七千六萬一第

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, JANUARY 61H, 1912. 日八十月一十年亥辛

六拜禮 號六月正年一十百九千一英港香

PRICE, \$3 PER MONTH.

INTIMATIONS

CHARMING

OHRISTMAS GIFT!

THE NEW

VIII VICTROLA

PRICE \$92

An Ideal Musical Instrument.

S. MOUTRIE & CO., 1

LIMITED.

SOLE DISTRIBUTORS.

REEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY

PURTLAND CEMENT In Casks 375 lbs. net In Bags 250 lbs. net SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.

General Managers. Hongkong, 29th April, 1908. [a1404

NEW CARTRIDGES.

By popular English Manufacturers. In all Bores and Sizes.

SMOKELESS POWDERS and CHILLED BH0TS. From No. 10 to SSSG. at \$6, \$7 and \$7.50 per 100, SPORTING REQUISITES and AIR GUNS in Variety.

Inspection Invited.

WM. SCHMIDT & Co.

Hongkong, 26th October, 1906.

DR. M. H. CHAUN. DENTAL SURGEON, 33, Quren's ROAD CENTRAL.

GT FLOOR, ROOMS 2 and 3 From the University of Pennsylvania, U.S.A. Telephone 126. Hongkong, 27th January, 1910.

QIEN TING

SURGEON DENTIST. No.10, D'AGUILAR STREET

TERMS VERY MODERATE Consultation Free. Hongkong, 21st September, 1905.

COMPANY TRAMWAY DEAK LIMIT AD. TINE TABLE:

WENE DAYS. 7.00 p.m. 8.00 a.m. Every 15 minutes. 8.00 a.m. to 10.00 a.m.... Every 10 minutes. :0.00 a.m. to 11.00 a.m... Every 15 minutes. 11.30 a.m. to 12.45 p.m.... Every 15 minutes. 12.45 p.m. to 1.15 p.m.... Every 10 minutes. 1.15 p.m to 1.45 p.m.... Every 15 minutes. 1.45 p.m. to 2.15 p.m ... Every 10 minutes. 2.15 p.m. to 5.00 p.m.... Every 15 minutes. 5.00 p.m. to 8.10 p.m.... Every 10 minutes.

NIGHT CARS P.45 p.m. and 9.00 p.m., 9.45 to 11.30 p.m. every 15 minutes. SUNDAYS.

8.00 . n. to10.30 a.m. ... Every 15 minutes. 10.30 a.m. to 11.00 a.m. ... Every 10 minutes. 11.45 s.m. to 12.00 Noon... Every 15 minutes, 12.00 Noon to 1.00 p.m. ... Fvery 10 minutes. 1.00 p.m. to 5.00 p.m. ... Fvery 15 minutes. 5.00 p.m. to 6.00 p.m. ... Every 10 minutes. 6.00 p.m. to 7.00 p.m. ... Every 15 minutes. 7.00 p.m. to 8.10 p.m. ... Every 10 minutes. NIGHT CARS as on Week Days.

SATURDATS. Extra Car at 11.45 p.m.

FPECIAL CARS by arrangement at the Company's Office, Alexandra Buildings, Des Vosux Road Central. JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON General Managers. stenckong 16th June, 1911?

# W

No. 17A, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

MANUFACTURERS OF

HIGH - CLASS WORK.

LATEST FASHIONS OF CANTON EMBROIDERIES, SILK LACES OF EVERY DESCRIPTION CHOICE ASSORTMENT OF

SILK AND LINEN GOODS, GRASS-CLOTH, ETC., ETC. INSPECTION SOLICITED. PRICES REASONABLE. Hongkong, 12th April, 1911.

# Steam Navigation Co.

PASSENGER SEASON 1912. HOMEWARD

S.S. "INDIA." (8,000 Tons.) CAPTAIN G. W. GORDON, B.N.B.

THIS THROUGH MAIL STEAMER FOR MARSEILLES AND LONDON DIRECT, WILL LEAVE HONGKONG ON MARCH 16TH, 1912 CALLING AT STRAITS, COLOMBO, ADEN, EGYPT, MARSEILLES AND GIBRALTAR, AND IS DUE TO ARRIVE AT:

MARSEILLES - - - APRIL 13TH. APRIL 20TH. LONDON - - -

The Accommodation in this Vessel is at the entire disposal of Passengers from the Far East. FARES TO LONDON:

1st SALOON £71.10 SINGLE; £106.14 RETURN. £ 72.12 £48.8

For Further Particulars, apply to

a1085]

E. A. HEWETT, SUPERINTENDENT

# WEISMANN, LTD.

BAKERS. CONFECTIONERS. CATERERS.

RESTAURATEURS.

14, DES YOUX ROAD, CENTRAL.

PEDDER ST., Next to HONGKONG HOTEL.

JUST RECEIVED

GOLF

SONS. BY R. FORGEN &

ALSO

BALLS: GOLF "WHITE COLONEL"

AND "BLACK AND WHITE." "COLONEL"

CADDIE BAGS IN CANVAS AND LEATHER.

# MITSU BISHIDOCKYARD AND ENGINE WORKS. Al. A.B.C., Western Union, and Engineering Codes used.

Builders and Repairers of Ships, Engines and Boilers, and Electrical Engineers. Manufacturers of Contraflo Condenser, Stone's Manganese Bronze, and Parsons Steam Turbines, etc., etc., etc.

AT NAGASAKI: Telegraphic Address: "DOCK" NAGASAKI

Depth of Water Breadth at Entrance on Keel:Blocks. Length on Keel-Blocks. 24 ft. 3 Dry Dooks No. 2 ... ...

1 Patent Slip capable of lifting vessels up to 1,000 tons.
The Salvage Steamer "OURA-MARU," 716 tons and 12 knots speed, is always ready at short notice.

AT KOBE :- Telegraphic Address: "WADADOCK" KOBE.

Floating Docks. No. 2. 12,000 Tons. 7.000 Tons. 580 Feet. 460 Feet. Mar. Length of Ship taken in Breadth

The Salvage Steamer "ARIMA-MARU," pumping capacity per hour 2,000 tons. The Flosting Sheerlegs, capable of lifting 40 ton weight. ANY ORDERS WILL BE PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO AND ESTIMATES SENT ON APPLICATION



THEPHONE No. 75

A VALUABLE "AFTER-SUMMER" TONIC BEAUNE VIN, 1904.

BURGUNDY.

POMMARD VIN. 1902.

CHAMBERTIN VIN, 1902. BURGUNDY. SPARKLING  $\mathbf{RED}$ 

CHABLIS

## CALDBECK. MACGREGOR&CO.,

Wine and Spirit Merchants."

UR New Patent Low Set Express Cushions can be fitted to any BILLIARD TABLE making it for playing purposes as good as new. (Freight on a case of Cushions to Bombay, &s. 4/- only.)

BEST AFRICAN IVORY BILLIARD BALLS, THOROUGHLY SEASONED.

- CRYSTALATE AND BONZOLINE BALLS, ALL SIZES WEST OF ENGLAND BILLIARD CLOTHS A SPECIALLY.

WE HOLD THE LARGEST STOCK OF BILLIARD TABLES ACCESSORIES AND MATERIALS OUT OF LONDON ALL ORDERS DESPATCHED BY RETURN MAIL STEAMER.

Illustrated price lists, giving prices and particulars of everything pertaining to billiards, can be had on application from the Offices of this paper.

# JOHNROBERTS&CO., LD.,

BILLIARD TABLE MAKERS AND IVORY TURNERS, BOMBAY.

[1134-2]

# THE YOKOHAMA DOCK

CO. LTD.

"Telegraphic Address:-"DOCK," Yokohama.

Codes used:—A.B.C. 4th, 5th Edition, Lieber's, Scott's, A. 1, and Watkin's.

DRY DOCK DEPARTMENT :- Telephone Nos. 376, 506, or 681. No. 3 DOCK. No. 2 DOCK. Docking Length 515 ft. Docking Length 376 ft. Docking Length 481 ft. No. 1 DOCK.

Every description of repair work is undertaken. A large assertment of material including tail shafts are kept in stock. Two powerful tow boats, floating derrick to lift 45 tons, pneumatic, electric, hydraulic plants, etc. Manufacturers of engines, boilers, togs, lighters, constructional steel work, etc. Tenders on short notice by letter or cable. WAREHOUSE DEPARTMENT:-

106 buildings, principally of brick and steel, 358 entrances. 13 buildings are private bonded warehouses. Floor area 73,343 square yards, or 15.15 acres. Custom-house brokerage and insurance undertaken. Rates moderate. Mooring Basin, 600 feet by 180 feet by 25 feet deep, adjoining the docks and warehouses.

# "SHACKELL"

RED PRINTING INK IS ABSOLUTELY THE BRIGHTEST RED ON THE MARKET.

## SAMPLE GRATIS SHACKELL EDWARDS & CO., LTD.

PRINTING INK MAKERS. ESTABLISHED 1786.

HEAD OFFICE:-5, RED LION PASSAGE, FLEET STREET, LONDON, E.C.

#### PRESS" "HONGKONG DAILY PUBLICATIONS.

DIRECTORY AND CHRONICLE OF THE FAR EAST ... ... \$10.00 Small Edition 6.00 CHILDREN OF FAR CATHAY: & Social and Political Novel, by C. J.

THE JUBILEE OF HONGKONG, being an Historical Sketch to which is added an Account of the Celebrations in 1891 ... ... ... THE HONGKONG TYPHOON, Sept. 18th, 1906, Illustrated Account ... 0.50

TEMPORARY MINING REGULA-TIONS IN CHINA ...... 0.50 REGULATIONS FOR RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION IN CHINA... 0.50 HONGKONG HANSARDREPORTS OF THE MEETINGS OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL, Pab-

lished Annually .... 8.00 MOUNTINGS OF NAVAL GUNS and their Subsequent Use with the Ladysmith Relief Column .... ... WARLIKE EXPLOITS OF THE MERCHANT NAVY, by J. E. Featherstonbaugh ... ... POLITICAL OBSTACLES TO MIS.

MISSIONARY DIRECTORY on Paper cover 0.75 cloth DOG AND GUN in New Territory 8,50 FROM HONGKONG TO CANTON, BY THE PEARL RIVER-"A Book for the Globetrotter," by Capt.

C. V. LLOYD; with Maps and Hins. 1.75 HONGKONG WEEKLY PRESS, half-yearly vol. bound ... ... FIFTY YEARS ANGLO-CHINESE CALENDAR, 1864 to 1913 ..... 2.00 RATES OF EXCHANGE AT BONGKONG English Mail days 1874----BOMBAY RATES OF EXCHANGE

AT HONGKONG, English Mail Days 189?- ... ... ... ... CALLED OUT: or the Chang Wang's Daughter, an Angio-Chinese Remance, by Chas. J. H. Halcombe ... PLAN OF THE WEST RIVER VICTORIA ... ... ...

KOWLOON ... ... ... NEW TERRIFORY ...

### HOTELS HONGKONGHOTEL

FINEST HOTEL IN THE FAR EAST

Recently Refurnished and Redecorated. Large Airy Public Rooms. Electric Lighting, Lifts and Fans. Suites de Luze. Bedrooms with European Bath and

Lavatory attached. Perfect Sanitation. The new Lounge will Shortly be Completed A la Carte Restaurant and Grill Room Open 1st December. J. B. TAGGART, Manager

#### KING EDWARD HOTEL.

TELEPHONE No. 373. TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS-"VICTORIA." Under Entirely New Management.

Thoroughly Renovated.

Hongkong, 4th January, 1912.

Terms Moderate. Excellent Cuisine. H. HAYNES, Manager.

BROCKETT'S PRIVATE HOTEL.

FOOCHOW. W 1THIN two or three minutes' walk from the Bund, under New Management.

Excellent Cuisine. Every Attention. Terms Moderate. House-best trips and other excursions arranged up the river Min, which is unrivalled

for beauty in China. J. BLACK, Manager.

GRAND HOTEL QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

A FIRST CLASS AND UP-TO-DATE ENTIRELY UNDER EUROPEAN MANAGEMENT

HIS HOTEL has recently been thoroughly renovated, extensively enlarged, and is now luxuriously furnished and up-to-date in every respect, situated in the most central position Large and Airy Rooms, Hot, Cold, and Shower Baths, Electric Light Throughout and Fans. Large and Comfortable Lounge, Private and Public Bars and Billiard Rooms, CUISINE ENTIRELY UNDER EUROPEAN SUPERVISION, Sanitary Arrangements of the latest, HOTEL LAUNCH MEETS ALL STEAMERS. Monthly Rates for Tiffin and Dinner. Special Rates for married families on

application to FREDERICK REICHMANN,

Proprietor (late Manager of J. H. Lyons (Trocadero, leading Caterers in London, and GEAND ORIENTAL HOTEL, Colombo).

TRIMPHONE No. 197. THLEGRAPHIC ADDRESS "COMFORT, Hongkong. [23**9** 

Hongkong, 1st September, 1910. "BRAESIDE."

PRIVATE HOTEL. STANDING in its own grounds with Tennis and Croquet Lawns. Large Aire Well Furnished Rooms, every home comfort. Fine View of the Harbour,

Telephone, No. 690. Apply to- MRS. F. W. WATTS, "Braeside," 20, Macdonnell Road. Hongkong, 4th December, 1907.

#### VICTORIA HOTEL SHAMEEN-CANTON.

Telegraphic address-"VICTORIA, SHAMBER." BITUATED ON THE BRITISH CONCESSION.

### MACAO HOTEL MACAO

Telegraphic address -" FARMER, MACAO." SITUATED IN THE CENTRE OF PRAYA GRANDS. Both Hotels electrically lighted, and under experienced European Supervision. GUIDES AND CHAIRS PROVIDED. Every information and Special attention given

to Tourists. REASONABLE RATES. WM. FARMER Proprietor.

GEORGE ROYAL HOTEL.

Corner of Hankow and Haiphong Roads, KOWLOON, HONGKONG. Telephone No. K 3.

THIS HOTEL has been thoroughly I renovated and is now Well Furnished, Large and Airy Bed Rooms, Bath to each Room, Public and Private Bars, 2 First Class Billiard Tables, etc. Picnic, Tiffin and Tea Parties to Kowloon

Catered for on due Notice being given. Motor Cars for excursion to Kowloon Water Works, City, etc. will be provided if wanted. Terms. per day. per month.
Single Rooms \$3 to \$5 \$65 to \$95 Double Rooms \$5 to \$8 \$110 to \$190

Manager, Formerly of the Palace Hotel, Shanghai, China H. BUTTONJEE, Proprietor.

SIONARY SUCCESSIN CHINA 0.25 POWER OF ATTORNEY FORM ... TRADE MARK REGULATIONS MAIL TABLES for 1911 IN CHINA ... HI

## WATSON & CO., LTD.,

ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841.

SPIRIT MERCHANTS,

## BRANDY

Our Brandies & are

### GUARANTEED sins of omission rather than sins of commis-TO BE

#### GRAPE PURE SPIRIT.

of 1 doz. Bot

A-SUPERIOR PALE, Rod

Capsule ... ... ... \$28.40 2.45 in the Colony so that when all was B-SUPERIOR OLD COGNAC. Red Capsule ... ... ... 31.40 270 | Canton at the proper time and complete the

WATSON'S \* \* COGNAC, Gold Capsulo ... ... 31.40 2.70 OLD LI-  $\cdot$ C-SUPERIOR

QUEUR COGNAC, Gold

Capsule ... ... ... 37.40 3.20 D-VERY FINE OLD PALE COGNAU, LIQUEUR

Gold and White Capsule ... 43.40 3.70 E-FINEST OLD BROWN BRANDY, Gold and White

Capsule ... ... 49,40 4.20 (The above Prices nelude duty.) -

#### A. S. WATSON & CO. LIMITED,

ALEXANDRA BUILDINGS

NOTICE TO CORRESPONDENTS. ONLY communications relating to the nows column should be addressed to THE

Correspondents must forward their names Ind addresses with communications addressed to the Editor, not for publication but as evidence of good faith. All letters for publication should be writien on one side of paper only. No anonymously signed communications

that have already appeared in other papers will be in cried. Orders for extra copies of DAILY PRIMS publication. After that hour the supply.

is limited. Only supply for Cash.
Telegraphic Address: PRESS
Codes: A.B.C. 5th Ed. Lieber. P. O. Box., 34. Telephone No. 13.

BIRTH.

At 52, Nathan Read, Kowloon, on the 5th inst., to Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McHurchen, a

HONGHONG OFFICH: 10A, DES YEUX ROAD LONDON OFFICE: 131, FLERT STREET. EC

HONGKON 3, JANUARY 6TH, 1912.

SITUATED as Hongkong is, on the border of China, and possessing as it does a large Chinese population; it is only to be expected that the Colony is more keenly interested in the revolution than perhaps any other part of the British Empire, and the fact that this interest may be manifested in directions which are hardly consistent with the attitude of noutrality adopted by Great Britain is one which has not\_altogether escaped attention, but we doubt if the subject has received the earnest consideration which it deserves, especially in Hongkong. On the outbreak of hostilities the Hongkong Government issued a proclamation of neut- extra). Registered office, 170, Strand, W. C. rality, and if anything were needed to more clearly define the attitude which British subjects should take it is furnished by a question asked and answered in Imperial Parliament last month. Mr. 1 BATHURST, a Unionist M.P., drew attention to the action of the British Consul-General at Shanghai in giving notice to traders of British nationality that they must not provide either of the belligerents in the Chinese Empire with supplies of any kind, and asked whether that notice could not be withdrawn in view of the circumstance once. If my real inconvenience should arise, it that trade was being diverted from could always be put right. He thought the British to other channels. The official system was worth trying.

The dead body of a newly born male child was found on the steps leading to Bowrington Canal yesterday morning. The honours conferred on the occasion of

reply was that the action of the

Consul-General at Shanghai had been

confined to calling the attention of British

subjects to the Order-in-Council of 1904, by

which British subjects are forbidden to

assist in any way in the carrying on of war,

insurrection or rebellion against the

Government of China. That pronouncement

makes clear the position of the British

merchant or trader, but what is the attitude

of the man of the Chinese race who is a

British subject? The proclamation of

neutrality made by the Hongkong Govern-

ment was certainly intended to include all

such persons. British subjects, irrespective

of race, were to be bound by the prohibition,

but in view of recent happenings in

our midst it may well be asked if

that order is being strictly observed.

In other words, is Hongkong observing

that strict neutrality which the British

Hovernment has ordained should be

carried out? The Hongkong Government, it

must be admitted, has not itself committed

any breach of neutrality. Its sins, if any, are

sion. For instance, it cannot be gainsaid

that much of the revolutionary propaganda

has been carried on from Hongkong. Of

course, when discovered it was sup-

pressed, but there can be no denying the

fact that the Revolutionaries have taken

advantage of Hongkong's geographical

position to make the Colony a base of

operations. Despite the official prohibition,

Chinese were able to develop their schemes

prepared they had simply to proceed to

enterprise. That applied to the more active

operations, but there are still others no less

important. What can be said of the fact

that several Chinese newspapers in Hong.

kong have been allowed to advocate the

revolution in their columns daily, and con-

timue to do so? What can be said of the

fact that men canvass for subscriptions for

the support of the revolutionary government

and acknowledge these in the Chinese press?

Surely these constitute a departure from the

attitude of strict neutrality? Surely

that is assisting a beligerent? Admit-

tedly the question of neutrality is

more complex in Hongkong at pre-

sent than anywhere else, by reason of the

fact that we have men of Chinese race who

feel that they are one with those who are in

revolt in China against the established

régime, and yet by their birth are British.

subjects. It is perhaps putting too great a

strain upon human nature to expect that

ties of kinship and bonds of sentiment are

to be sundered at this most critical period

in the history of the Chinese race, and that

men are to remain passive while the strug-

gle continues before their eyes. It is too

much to expect. Of course Hongkong is not

the only unwilling offender in this respect.

because we are all well aware that Chinese

communities in the Straits Settlements

Netherlands India, San Francisco, Japan

and other places have rendered substantial

financial assistance to the revolutionaries.

Moreover, the plan of the revolution-

ary campaign was developed in these

places rather than in China itself. Still,

it is not for any foreign Government to

be blind to the infringements of neutrality

laws. If, for example, there are any

British subjects of Chineserace who identify

themselves with either of the belligerents,

by working for them here in Hongkong or

in Canton, they must be called to account.

The Government must not discriminate

One man should not be allowed to do what

all are warned not to attempt. In short

the Hongkong Government should be con-

sistent, and no matter what the results may

be to individuals, however prominent they

may be in the Colony, the neutrality of

Hongkong should, like Cæsar's wife, be

The French Mail of the 5th December was

The British Manchurian Concessions, Ltd.

has been registered with a capital of £105,000. in

deferred ordinary shares of 1s, each, to acquire

and hold concessions, lands, mines, mining

rights, &c., in Manchuria or elsewhere. The

first directors are :-- F. M. Matthews and H.

A. Turner. Qualification, one share Re-

muneration, £400 each por annum (chairman£50

In the Supreme Court yesterday, Mr. Justice

Gomportz, sitting in Summary Jurisdiction.

s id he thought the practice that had obtained

recently of fixing cases a long time in advance

had many disadvantages. He proposed in the

future never to fix a date more than a week in

advance, unless the next week was occupied by

sessions or original work. Three or four cases

could be fixed for one day, and as one case was

dealt with the next would be dealt with in

order. It would be a great convenience to the

profession, and he proposed to commence it as

delivered in London on the 4th January.

above suspicion.

the Durbar included a C.I.E. for Mr. A. W Rose, the British Consul at Tengyueh .--

Mr. R. H. A. Gresson, head of the Cal cutta firm of Messrs. Järdine, Matheson & Con has been elected Sheriff of Calcutta.

Twenty-four deportees arrived on Thursday from Singapore my the Hong Bee, and yesterday 82 came from Saigon by the s.s.

A woman living on a " village " boat at Shaukiwan lost her life on Thursday night off Taikoo Docks. While sculling the boat, the scull slipped and she fell overboard andwas drowned.

A statistical statement shows that French capital to the amount of 500 millions of francs has been invested in Indo-China loans and industrial enterprises. A new loan of 90 million francs is now under discussion.

We understand that there has been some anxiety felt concerning the big steamer Minnesota, which was due to arrive at Yokohama on the 1st inst, from Seattle. News has been received by the local agents that the ship reached Yokohama yesterday.

A paragraph in the Queen's College Magazine says :-- The recent changes have caused a great transformation among our students. Queues are now almost a thing t of the past and there are not less than 1001 brands of head gear to be seen about the

Hat stealing has become common in the Colony as a result of the desire of the Chinese for western headgear. A favourite dodge of the hat thieves is to get an old round Chinese hat and when they see a man coming along wearing a new hat they throw the old one in front. As he bends down to look at it the new hat is snatthed from his head.

Commander Beckwith, R.N., vesterday fined the master of the steam launch Lee To \$50 for carrying 17 passengers in excess of the number allowed by his license. His Worship remarked that there seemed to be no control exercised over such launches and he would have to make an example in the

In Summary Jurisdiction at the Supreme Court, yesterday, Mr. Justice Compertz gave judgment for plaintiffs in the case in which the Sze Hop firm sued Tse Yung to recover \$1,000 for work done. Plaintiffs waived \$459.93 in order to bring the case into summary jurisdiction. Mr. Leo. D'Almada e Castro appeared for the plaintiffs.

yesterday morning by the Chinese emigrants | authorities would be well advised to devise who had collected outside the Harbour Office. It appears that the police endeavoured to keep a number of rowdy spirits in check. The action of the police was resented and a number of stones thrown. The police at sonce drew their revolvers, and this had the immediate effect of dispersing the crowd.

An interesting kidnapping story has been reported to the police. A woman informed them that her son, a boy about four years of age, was missing, and as the result of inquiries it was believed that the woman's lover had abducted the child, taken him to Kongmoon, and sold him for \$150. The man was arrested on his return, as well as two men said to be accomplices, and it is expected that the child will be brought back from Kongmoon.

Judgment was delivered by Mr. Justice Gompertz in the Supreme Court, yesterday in the case in which the Pak Fook Tang firm proceeded against Messrs. Heuser, Eberius and Co. to recover \$415.92 for breach of contract. His Lordship said he must give judgment (or the defendants. In the first place he thought agreement to arbitrate formed a condition precedent. On the facts he thought the defendants got practically what they asked for, and in matters of that sort if they gave an order in such terms, he thought they got what they wanted. Judgment with costs was entered for defendants.

A daring robbery was attempted on the Blue funnel steamer Astyanax while she was lying at Holt's wharf on Thursday night. Some half dozen men came alongside during the night, dambered unseen on board, and locked from the outside the doors of the forecastle. Then they proceed ed to remove a portion of the cargo of cotton. However, they were not long at work when they were discovered by the quartermaster, who raised the alarm. All the men bolted, and the fact the crew were unable to get out of the forecastle enabled them to make good their escape, with the exception of one man who was arrested and handed over to the

#### THE "KWONG YUEN."

The launch Kam Kai returned yesterday from her search for the burnt steamer Kwong Yuen. They ascertained from some fishermen that the iff fated vessel went down in Achow Bay, Tai O Island, but the men report has been received to the effect that thirteen additional survivors were picked up by some fishing boats.

#### CANTON.

Canton, January 3rd. SHAMEEN NOTES.

The H.M.S. Clio-has relieved the Rosario and-new-naval-faces - are-among us-again. Commanders Rymer and Archdole and the other officers of the Rosano, who were very popular on the island, are badly missed, and on the cessation of trouble here when the navy leaves; us for good they will leave a gap behind them which will take some

On New Year's Day, General Anderson. General Officer Commanding the South China Forces, and Major Tulloch, his chie staff officer, visited Shameen and inspected

given by the British bachelors was held in the Club theatre. There was a large gatherling of residents and friends and the numerous naval and military uniforms, pre-

Lelectric lamps, and the committee in on into "the wee sma' hoors," and a most enjoyable night was spent by all. MORE SUBSCRIPTIONS.

district are taking steps to try and procure subscriptions, which are literally taxes, from all round the delta, and meetings are being held in many places in this connection. At Samshui a large meeting was held and a considerable sum of money promised the authorities. So far nothing but generosity has been met with in this line. But it is a difficult position and a dangerous precedent that the Government here are setting, and the outcome of it all is what none can foresee. Troops are being enlisted everywhere and in numbers that would seem to infer that before long the Government will be keeping and paying the whole male population, a situation the mere mention of which shows its absurdity. The present Government in Canton calls itself the Kwangtung Military Government, and it certainly deserves its name, for all its interests and administration has been military. Of course, this was the essential question when the Rebels came in, but there are economic questions in Canton which, if not attended to, might cause trouble at any time. This system of subscriptions is one thing. While at present it works beautifully when enthusiasm is present everywhere, and people are giving what they can, still it is holiday. remember the forced loans and taxes of the A number of Indian police were stoned | Stuart times to recognise this, and the some scheme more equable and less liable to abuse. After the enthusiasm of thenew state of affairs has worn off this system would be simply the old " squeeze pidgin ? under a new name:

make the police more efficient. There are not only many more police patrolling the streets, but they are better clothed and better armed, and are doing their work much better than their predecessors. When one considers

on the order they have kept. On the river things are not so quiet as in the city, and stories of robberies come in frequently. A village in the Ko Ming district was completely losted at the week-end by a gang of robbers who had evidently been in residence in the vicinity for some time. waiting their opportunity. The result, of course, was that there were no soldiers or guards at hand when they swooped down, and though the villagers made a fight of it and killed some of them, the looters were successful and made off with their plunder.

The Chinese newspapers state that Mr. Chan, the present acting Governor, has received a wire telling him that Mr. Wong Ching Wei is proceeding to Canton to take up the post vacated by Mr. Wu. So far no explanation on criticism is offered.

#### ASSAULT ON A RIVER STEAMER.

In the Marine Court, yesterday, before Commander Beckwith, R.N., T. Allan, chief officer of the steamer Hul Chow, charged two cooks with assault.

that the Church Body do not see their way at on the launch took soundings and could find i present to appoint a successor to Mr. Thornhill, no trace of the wreck. An unconfirmed but they have placed a certain sum in the hands of the Bishop of Victoria for the provision of Sanday assistance to the Chaplain during the

the defences. 🔩

On New Year's night, the annual hall sent gave a touch of colour to the gathering not usually met with in Shameen.

The theatre was very tastefully decorated with flags and evergreens and with strings charge of the lighting arrangements deserve congratulations on the beautiful appearance | ters have informed Yuan Shih Kai, who of the dancing hall. Dancing was carried

The merchants guilds all over Canton and a very dangerous system. We have only to

One thing the newcomers have done is to what a conflagration a match might have set alight here they are to be congratulated

A NEW GOVERNOR FOR KWANGTUNG.

Complainant stated that when he ordered one of the defendants to move away from a passage which he was blocking up, he spat in his face. Complainant thereupon pushed him into the galley, and he took up a cleaver and went for him. The second defendant hit complainant on the head with a potato masher. When he ordered them ashore they refused to go. His Worship remarked that it was a serious case of armed assault, and was against all good order and discipline. He sentenced each defendant to ten weeks imprisonment with hard-labour, and ordered them to pay a sum not exceeding £3 toward the cost of their maintenance.

We regret to say, remarks Church Notes, next few months.

## TELEGRAMS. TELEGRAMS.

[THEOUGH REUTER'S AGENCY,]

THE REVOLUTION.

FUTURE OF THE CONFERENCE.

A Shanghai telegram states that; owing o the resignation of Tang Shao Yi, the Imperial delegate, because his compliant attitude during the peace negotiations was disapproved at Peking, the continuation of the Conference is impossible.

BRIGAND RULE AT TAI YUAN FU.

The Daily Mail correspondent at Peking states that the secretary the Italian Legation, who has returned from Tai Yuan Fu, reports that conditions are very critical there, as the brigands rule the town and thirty Italian priests are jeopardy. The Italian and British Minis. has promised to send troops.

#### TURKEY AND ITALY.

PEACE IN VIEW.

LONDON, January 5th. The Times correspondent at Salonica states that there is reason to believe that the general conditions of peace have already been arranged between Turkey and Italy,

and that the near future will see the termination of hostilities.

BRITISH PRISONERS IN GERMANY

LONDON, January 5th. It is announced in Berlin that the British prisoners, Trench and Brandon, will be subjected to more rigorous restriction in consequence of the escape of Captain Lux from a German fortress.

RUSSIA AND PERSIA.

LONDON, January 5th.

Reuter's correspondent at Teberan wires that the executions of Sikutul Islam and other ecclesia stics at Tabriz is particularly resented, because the Russians selected for the execution the most solemn Persian

#### HOLLAND'S QUEEN.

LONDON, January 5th The absence of Queen Wilhelmina from the State ball at The Hague has been much commented on. A report of a gratifying nature which has hitherto not been denied is current respecting the cause of her absence.

KHARTOUM CATHEDRAL.

LONDON, January 5th. The Bishop of London has left for Khartoum in order to consecrate the Cath-

THE ADELAIDE PARLIAMENT

AN APPEAL TO THE COLONIAL OFFICE. LONDON, January 5th.

An Adelaide telegram states that the Premier, Mr. Verran, before dissolving Parliament, appealed to the Colonial Office to amend the constitution to prevent the of the people. The Colonial Office replied that intervention in the affairs of a selfgoverning possession would be unjustifiable until every constitutional means had been

The crisis was due to the Government tacking to the Appropriation Bill a vote for the establishment of a State brickworks. .

HOME RULE FOR IRELAND.

MR. HEALY ANXIOUS.

LONDON, January 5th.

Mr. T. Healy, M.P., speaking at Mallow, said he was most anxious about the financial clauses in the Home Rule Bill. If the Government withheld the means to develop Irish industry and commerce, and kept the ton millions sterling raised from Ireland in their own pockets, then the Bill would be a mockery and a delusion. He did not believe that the Bill would pass the House before the General Election, and he greatly feared that the prejudices of the English people would then be powerfully excited in connection with unpopular measures like the Insurance Act. Moreover, the recent byeelections constituted a by no means hopeful

The Rt. Hon. Sir Edward Carson opens

his Ulster Anti-Home Rule Campaign at Omagh to-day. Contingents of people are travelling thither from all parts of Ireland The Rt. Hon. Mr. Winston Churchill opens the Liberal campaign at Belfast on the 8th inst.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

ANGLO-AMERICAN ARBITRATION

London, January 5th. Router's correspondent at Washington wires that in a speech made in the Senate, Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska denounced the Anglo-American Arbitration, Treaty and charged the Government with blundering into an entangling alliance. Senator Raynor of Maryland, a domocrat, filed a minority report in favour of the mamonded ratificaof the Arbitration Treaties.

#### SHIPPING IN THE PANAMA CANAL.

London, January 5th.

The British Press, referring to the suggested preferential rates to American shipping passing though the Panana Canal, declares that the proposal is a breach of the provision of the Hay-Paunceforte treaty, which stipulated for equality of treatment for all shipping. Mr. Nagel, Secretary of Commerce, in his annual report, agrees that preferential rates are impossible, and he proposes instead, an annual Treasury appropriation devoted to the payment of tolls on behalf of American vessels. The report of the Foreign Commerce Committee of the House, which has just visited Panama proposes rates of from two to four shillings per ton, with preference for American shipping.

#### THE FRENCH MAIL CONTRACT.

M. Thomas, local Agent of the Compagnie des Messageries Maritimes, informs us of the receipt from his Head Office of telegraphic advice that the Postal Contracts have been renewed by the French Government with the M. M. Company.

THE HONGKONG CLUB TROUBLE.

The five "boys' employed by the Hongkong Club, who were on Thursday remanded on a charge of having refused to wear the uniform provided for them by the Hongkong Club, were again before Mr. Irving at the Magistracy yesterday. Mr. H. W. Looker appeared to pro-

When the defendants were lined up in front of him, his Worship said-The evidence which I heard yesterday is to the effect that, late in November last, the Chairman of the Club got speciment of a uniform which the boys had been asked to wear and showed it to the compradore and the No. 1 boy. The Chairman has further said is evidence that the compradore is the ordinary channel of communication between the Committee and the servents of the club, and that he made it clear to the compradore that as soon as the uniforms could be made the boys would be expected to wear them. That being so, I should assume, until the contrary is proved, that the compradore communicated this message to the boys. Mr. Ede told me, further, that at the time he received no complaint or objection from the boys as to the uniforms. The garments were accordingly made late in December! more than a month after the servants were originally told they would have to wear the garments on the 1st January. Under these vircumstances, I can have no doubt that the order was a lawful one. It is not disputed that the order was disoboyed. The defendants, have pleaded guilty, but Mr. Looker says he does not wish to press the case against them. I find the defendants guilty, and I order them to come up for judgment when called upon to do so, and to enter into a bond of \$50 each to come up when called upon. The effect of that judgment is that as long as there is no recrudescence of the trouble they will not be called upon to come up Legislative Council from thwarting the will for sentence, but as long as I am on the bench, if there is further trouble, they will be called up

## CORRESPONDENCE

---DOGS' HOME.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HONGKONG DAILY PRESS.

January, 5th 1912. Sin,-May I he allowed to asknowledge through your paper the following denations to the Dogs' Home? Dr. J. Bell. . Mr. F.B. L. Bowley Mrs. F. G. Figg ... ... ... 10 Mrs. F. D. Stewart Hon Mr. E. A. Hewett S.P.0.A. per Hon. E. A. Hewett ... 100 'A Friend .....

It may be remembered that the sum require is \$1,000. Donations may be sent to Mr. F. K. Tata, Queen's Buildings or to-Yours

CHARLES H. HICKLING The Manse

3 Kennedy Road.

On the 13th and 14th ult. Mr. Justice Bucknill was engaged in the Divorce Court. London on a case in which Mr. John Curries is Hanson, formerly a solicitor practising in Shanghai and now resident in London, petitioned for a decree dissolving his marriage. with his wife, Gladys Emma, and alleging her misconduct with John George Moncrieff and Emest Atkins. The suit was defended and the case had not concluded when the latest mail left.

#### LOCAL SPORT. FIXTURES AT A GLANCE.

DEAGUE CRICKET. Civil Service

 $v = \mathbf{R.G.A.}$ Hongkong C.C. 4. H.K.F.C.

#### CRICKET

The following represent the H.K.C. to-day in a match to be played on the Cricket Club ground against Capt. Clapham's Eleven, play to start at 2.1" sharp :

T. E. Pearce, R. E. O. Bird, A. E. Fowler, D. E. Donnelly, M. M. Mans, Rev. Föster-Perg. R. O. Hutchison, A. R. Sutherland, R. P. Thursfield, F. Matson, and R. J. Safinders.

#### RUGBY.

CUP COMPETITION-FIRST ROUND. The team for the Hongkong Club, in their match against the Navy to-day, is as follows :-C. Blaker, W. Hamilton, H. McGowan, T. S. Robson, J. C. Roberts, T. J. Fisher, A. V. Monl., A. Temperley (Capt.). A. Murdach, W. Graham, C. C. Slark, W. Ross, S B. McElderry, W. Andrews and F. R. Ormston.

Previous matches this season have resulted in two wins to Navy, and, two to Clab by marrow margins and one pointiess draw

#### FOOTBALL.

H.K.F.C. - J. Clarke; J. McCubbin and F. W. Campbell : H. W. Moon, R. C. Barlow, and C. Wilkie; W. Hodley, W. A. Wilson, R. J. Brown, P. Wilkie and J. N. Benton, Kick-off at 4 p.m. prompt.

#### PEDESTRIANISM.

The Khud Races of the 126th Baluchistan Infantry are to be held at the United Services Club Ground, Kowloon, at 3 p.m., on the 8th inst.

### HONGKONG CRICKET LEAGUE.

The following table is up to date: -Civil Bervice ... 2 Craigangower 3 Kowlion 4 R. G. A. ... 6 H. K. Police ... 7 K.O.Y.L.I. 8 Naval Yard -... N. B.-A win == 3 points. A draw=1 point.

#### BOXING.

Much interest is being taken in the contests to be fought at the City Hall to-night, and as all the men are present and ready to enter the ring there should be no disappointments. The main event is Bill Lowis v. Stoker Arnold and Micky Dunn, 20 rounds. Lewis has not fought in Hongkong since February last, but judging b his work, at the V.R.C. he should make his opponents travel over the best part of the journey at least. Micky Dung and Stoker Arnold are no novices with the gloves; this will be Dunn's 45th contest, and he has only been besten three times -on points-by Cpl. Baker, lightweight champion of the Army. and Navy. Arnold also has a long record, and has only mut defeat twice, once on a foul and once to Micky Duna on points in a competition. Bandsman Shuter v. Pte. Petier. 15 rounds, and Cpl. Seguton v. Stoker Chalk, 15 rounds, should be two good contests, and some good hard slogging should be witnessed

#### and Pte. Webb. THE INSURANCE OF THE " DECHI."

The Times of December 14th says !--Naturally the news of the disaster monopolized attention in the insurance market for most of the day. In the first place the wreck of a P. and O. liner is so rare an event-the last was that of the Australia in 1904-and, secondly, the underwriting interests are very large. The hull is not insured in the market, but if the vessel be totally lost the financial effect on the company will be small, for the sound policy of the P. and O. has been to write down their vessels steadily every year. By a strange coincidence only a few hours before the vessel stranded Sir. Thomas Sutherland was congratulating the shareholders at the annual meeting that they had a large fleet standing at between £3 and £4 a ton, " all the vessels being in the best possible order, of the highest possible quality, and all capable of performing efficiently the services for which they were intended." As the Delhi is of 8,000 tons gross, and was built in 1905. presumably, therefore, she stands in th books of the company at only about £25,000. But a.P. and O. liner cannot be wrecked without affecting underwriters, very closely, and the Delhi had shipped some £300,000 in gold and silver bullion for Bombay, all of which is covered in the market. The gold, to the value of about £100,000, was no doubt carried in the specie-room, and on this bullion to per cent, was being quoted vesterday for reinsurance. The silver bars, believed to be worth about £200,000, were, it is stated, carried in a hold, and on this interest about 20 per cent, was being quoted. A large amount of general cargo was shipped on which declarations were being made throughout yesterday by brokers. One con- file, and 20 rank and file, Chinese Section, 40th 53,000, and it would not be at all surprising 4th instant, for annual course of military ento find that the value of the cargo represented £100,000. Forty per cent, was being quoted for reinsurance in connection with cargo: In addition insurances of no small amount have been placed on passengers' jewels and baggage. It was therefore, even from a purely mercenar point of view, gratifying to and it is understood that one vessel bound

had her voyage diverted. in December of last year. Capt. William Oceana, Caledonia, and Salsette.

#### REVOLUTION.

THE PEACE CONFERENCE.

THE BECENT DECISIONS.

The following official statement of the deoisions of the Peace Envoys has published :--1, - It is mutually agreed that the question to what form of government should be adopted

Convention and that the decision of the National Convention shall be binding upon and recognised by both parties. 2. During the time which must-elepse befor

the National Convention comes to a decision upon the form of government to be in future adopted, the Manchu Government shall not accept or attempt to obtain foreign loans. 3-All the Manchu troops in the provinces

of Shansi, Shensi, Rupeh, Anhui and Kiangsu shall evacuate their present positions and withdrawn to a distance beyond 100 li within 5 days; commencing on December 31 at 8 a.m., leaving behind them only the police to protect the places thus evacuated. The Republican troops shall neither advance apen nor occupy these evacuated places so as to avoid collisions, until special regulations have been made upon and capture new places.

SELECTION OF DELEGATES FOR THE CONVENTION.

between Dr. Wu Ting fang and H. E. Tang Shao-yi was held on Saturday afternoon last in the Town Hull, in order to arrange the selection of delegates for the National Convention which is to decide upon the future form of government. The following result of the deliberations was given out at 5.20 p.m., when the Conference ment of goods from here are concerned. I do

posed of representatives from the different warehouses here for rechipment without duty sections" of China. Each province shall charges. Also that all exports of the country form one section. Inner Mongolia and Onter be permitted free entry into the United States. Mongolia together shall form one section. Another thing-I think that our bareau of

form one section. delegates and entitled to three votes, but in the some legislation was needed to keep in the event of a lesser number from any "section" country the immense amount of money annually attending, such a section shall still be entitled spent abroad for rice. I think that a high duty to three votes.

METHOD OF BUNMONING. 2.—The delegates from the different "sections" shall be summoned by wire to the National Convention in the following manner

Republican Governments. three-fourths of the "sections," they shall be can not see where the plan would be advantage. considered a quorum and may meet for discus- ous at present."

> Signed by WU T.NG-FANG and TANG SHAO-YI.

noon at the Town Hall at which the following yet compute with the old established merchants points were decided :--

for the relief of sufferers in the famine district. 2. Deputies to be sent to Shansi and Shinsi in the 6 rounds between Seaman Skinner to inquire how far the armistice has been observed in those provinces. 3. Deputies to be sent to inquire into the

alleged breaking of the armistice by General The place and date of assembly have not yet be for a long time to come.'

MOVEMENTS OF HONGKONG

The Garrison Orders yesterday contained the following particulars regarding the movement

(i) 176 N.C.Os. and men. R.G.A., 1 N.C.O., A.O.C. and 1 man, R.A.M.C., proceeded to camp at Boa Vista on 2nd January, 1912. The following Officers accompaied this party:--Major A. R. Y. Kirkpatrick, Captains, C. R. S. Bromley, W. Loring, Liouts, P. S. Wiltshire, H. G. Paris, D. S. Dodgson, I. Fenton, D. Pudsey, G. P. Shedden, 2nd Lieuts. P. Nevill and P. R. M. Collins, R. G.A. and Liout, E. C.

Lambkin, M.B., R.A.M.C., (ii.) Lieut-Colonel A. T. Rowlandson, Majors R. M. Paul and A. L. Barrett, Captains C. G. Woodhouse, C. A. James, J. C. Grettov, B.-de L. Brock, F. L. D. Jarrad, C. R. L. Fitzgerald, G.E. Malcolmson, I M.S., Lieuts. W.A. Hugger, A. G. White, and G.F.H. Faithfull, 12 Indian Officers, 1 Subadar Assistant Surgeon, and 728 other ranks, 126th Baluchistan Infantry, returned to Kowloon from camp at Funling and

Lowu on 30th December, 1911. (iii.) Lieut. P. S. Shedden, 2nd Lient. P. R. M Collins, and 28 rank and file, R.G.A., Major R. S. Paul, Captain F. L. D. Jarrad, Lieut. G. F. H. Faithfull, 2 Indian Officers, 1 Subadar Assistant Surgeon, and 167 other ranks, 126th Baluchistan Infantry, proceeded to Canton on special duty per s.s. Kinshan, on 4th January,

(iv ) Major St. G. R. S. Caulfeild, Lieuts. A. W. S. Gibson and F. L. Brown, 96 rank and signment of motor-cars is worth some ('o., R.E., proceeded to camp at Beucon Hill on gineering.

#### COOLIE LABOUR IN NORTH BORNEO.

Mr. W. S. Young Riddell, who has been appointed as Government Labour Commissioner underwriters to hote with what speed vessels of British North Borneo, in now in Hous kong: of various descriptions hastened to the scene, | We learn from our Borneo contemporary that Mr. Riddell will be engaged in Hongkong to from Oporto to the scene of another wreck make all necessary arrangements for recruiting Co. Why of course I favour a free port for labourers to work on the estates in North From the beginning of this year until Borneo, or for the Government: for providing November 4th the Delhi was engaged in the | depots in Hengkong or elsowhere in China for service between India and China. She then | housinglabourers; and forshipping the labourers left Bombay for London in charge of Capt. to British North Borno and landing them there. H. S. Bradshaw, who was appointed to her | The Hongkong authorities have given official | notice that no coelie-broking agents will be 6 MONTHS' COMFORT FOR 60 CENTS. for more than 300 days, after March 12. Our gularity. Sugar-coated, entirely vegetable, for su ar, providing that when in its opinion a was appointed to the plant one man description of the stands that contracts will Small and gentle but thoroughly efficient. (O corner appears imminent, sellers may close their and merchandise to this country. If a ship is 52 years old, and has a fine record, having contemporary understands that contracts will Small and gentle but thoroughly efficient. commanded in turn several vessels of the probably be for one year only, with extension, cents a phial of all Chemists, or post free direct contracts at a fair market price, to be detergoes down the men less their all, and any one commanded in turn several vessels of the probably of the year only, with a further from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., 84, mind by the London Sugar Association, plus who knows the life knows that it is a severe one. P. and O. Line, including the Arcadia, under certain circumstances, for a further from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., 84, mind by the London Sugar Association, plus who knows the life knows that it is a severe one. period of six months.

#### THE PORT OF MANILA.

A FREE PORT ADVOCATED.

The How. Sergio Osmena, Speaker of the Philippine Assembly, in a recent speech before the members of the Merchants' Association, said that he favoured the proposition of making u free port of the city of Manila. Considerable shall be discussed and decided by the National discussion has been inaugurated in commercial circles by the Speaker's suggestion, and a Callenews reporter has asked several of the leading business men of the city what their views are on the subject. Of course, it is evident at once that an importer, for instance, who handles foreign goods to a large extent, is very much in favour of a free port, while one who handles nothing but American made goods desires no free port; as the latter would take the duties off foreign goods and the competition which would ensue would operate against his business.

Mr. E. Springer, preside t of the Manila Merchants' Association? - " Surely I think it would be a good thing to have Manila a free , port. I mean by that to have it in a free zone, mutual agreement within 5 days, when further which would permit goods to be brought here withdrawal of troops shall be carried out so. free of daty which it was desired to re-ship to cording to these regulations. The Mancha other places within the zone. It would obviate troops shall not advance upon and attack those the necessity of paying excessive duty on goods places in the prevince of Shantang which have as they would be under government supervision. already fallen into the hands of the Republicans It would also make Manila a port of call for nor shall the Republican troops advance upon other and bigger steamship lines. Larger and capture new places. purchases Of course, goods from foreign countries which were to be consumed here would have to pay duty as at present. I believe that A further meeting of the Peace Conference the idea is a good one and would help the city and the islands generally. C. D. squires of the Squires, Biogham

Co .- Yes, indeed. I am in favour of a free part. It seems to me that is what has built up the port as far as vessels, passengers and reshipnot believe in taking the duty off entirely on foreign made goods, but I think that a provision 1.—The National Convention shall be com- should be made permitting goods to be kept in Eastern Tibet and Western Tibet together shall agriculture should endeavour to find some way to teach these people here to grow rice without Each "section" shall be entitled to send three the aid of carabao. The Speaker also said that should be placed on rice and every encourage. ment extended to native farmers to grow that

E. C. McCullough, of McCullough and Co.-"Well, I have not had time to consider this namely: -Those from Kiangsu, Anhui, Kiangsi, matter very much. I have been too busy and Hupeh, Hunan, Shansi, Shensi, Chekiang, furthermore I did not consider that it was at all Fukien, Kwangtung, Kuangsi, Szechuan. Yun- possible. I cannot see where the free zone or nan and Kueishow in the name of the Provisional port arrangement would be of the slightest value Republican Government: these from Chibli, to anybody, nor on the other hand can I see Fengtion, Kirin, Heilungkiang, Kansu, Chinese where it would do anybody any great harm. As Turkest...a, Shantung and Honan, in the name for as the reshipment plan is concerned, freights of the Janchu Government, and in addition to are as cheap to Singapore, Chinese and Japanese this, the Provincial Assemblies of these eight ports as they are to Manila, so transhipping to "rections" to be notified by wire in the name of those places from here would not be profitable. the Provisional Republican Government: and As far as taking off the duty on fereign goods those from Mongolia and Tibet separately in is concerned, I would not care. We all would the names of both the Manchu and Provisional have to pay in the end, and make up the differonce some way. Of course, there is a big CONSTITUTION OF QUORUM. | conomic question involved in this proposition | 3.—When the delegates present represent but I have not had the time to study it. But I

I. Beck of I. Beck, Incorporated,—"I think that it is too early for a free port here yet. Manila is not ready for it. American goods can now be brought in and re-shipped to other A further meeting was held on Sunday after- places, but it is not done because Manila cannot of Hongkong, Shanghai and other places. No; 1. To vote \$200,000 out of the funds in hand | the free port or zone arrangement would necessitate the building of large warehouses where g ods could be kept a long time if necessary before being transhipped, and large capitalization would be needed. Why, the American merchants here are now not even building warehouses for the goods they are bringing here to sell. No; that free business is a dream and will )

A. Roensch, of Alfredo Roensch and Co.-"As far as imports are concerned it would make a big difference, but as for export duties they are not so heavy now. The quantities of hemp, sugar and tobacco permitted free entry in the United Satates now fall below the amount prescribed. Of cour e, if you take off the customs duties it will be a big loss to the government in the way of revenue which must be met some other way. I think that the government should, if it were possible, do something for the homp growers. A free part is like every other proposition—some people it would help while others would be burt by it.

N. T. Hashim, of Hashim and Co .- "I am decidedly against the free port idea. I taking off duties on foreign goods would certainly be rainous to trade in American goods and to the islands generally. Let me give you illustration. I have some Munchester khaki cloth which, after paying freight charges, duty and other things, I can sell cheaper than the American khaki. The English goods are better rade too. You can easily see what would happen if the duty were taken off, "can't you, The same principle holds good with ther arti cles I ha die, perfumery for i stance. No:

am against a free port for those reasons." Manager American Drug Store-"Oh yes, I think a free port would help in many ways, We handle mostly American goods, but also some foreign goods, but I am not looking at it from a selfish standpoint or how it might affect our business alone. It seems to me the free port proposition would help the country

E. E. Elser, general agent New York Life Insurance Co. and is terested in various commercial importing enterprises:-"That is question I certainly would not wish to answer off hand. It requires study. I can give you now in five minutes half a dozen good ronsons why we should have a free port and then again half a dozen more showing that it would not 'be good for the islands. It requires study. It is

a big question." E Israel Manager German Dispensary :--"Yes, of course, I consider a free port would greatly assist the islands. It would also do away with a lot of bother and expense that we have now with the customs."

F. W. Breaker, Manager Philippine Drug Manila. It would be beneficial to the city and islands generally. You can quote me as being in favour of it."

#### HAMBURG LETTER.

DAILY PRESS.

December 13th.

POLITICAL NEWS. A few words on politics. The German Chanceller, Herr von Bethmann-Holling in speech in the Reichstag on the 6th inst. in reply to that of Sir Edward Grey in Parliament, did full justice to the conciliatory tone of the latter and declared that in Germany too it was hoped that the present discussions might leads to a better understanding between the two nations. Edward had complained of the silence of the German government in the month of July, but

he (the Chancellor) had not locked upon the interview between Sir Edward and the German Ambass docin London on the 4th of that month as entailing the necessity of further communications; if information had been asked for, he would have given it at one; bosides Sir Edward had during all that-time been in constant communication with the Foreign Office in Paris and must therefore have been fully acquainted with the German demands and their assurance that the Panther had not been sent ito Agadir with a view to seize or annex any part of Merocco. Mr. Lleyd George in his speach in the 21st had said that if Great merchants, and I think that would mean larger Britain ever permitted questions which so nearly touched her, interests to be settled by others without having liad a voice in the matter, she would sink to the rank of a second-rate Power, and must therefore issue a warning. Germany. claimed the same right; the France-English frenty of 1904 had been concluded without her fine big port of Hongkong. I believe in a free knowledge, and had led to the Emperor's excursion to Tangier later and to the conference. at Algerias. The agreement come to there had licen disregarded by France, whereupon Germany had entered a protest, as one of the signatory P. owers, and demanded compensation The difficulty had now been settled amicably, but the declared most emphatically that Gera

> hope of the relations between the two peoples The press and the nation generally, with the exception of the extreme Radicals and the Socialists, are delighted with the firm tone adopted by the Chancellor. It is devoutly to be wished that the Morocco difficulty may now be definitely settled and no fresh complications soons so that in time more friently feelings may prevail between the two nations so mearly related by

many, just like Great Britain, claimed to be

consulted in questions concerning her interests.

and if Great Britain would bear this in mind in

future and prove it by her acts, there was every

blood and religion. The stock exchanges have lost somewhat of their buoyancy of late, but the balance sheet of the well known from of Friedr. Krupp in Essen which was submitted to the sharehold rs of the company at the annual general meeting hold last week is another proof of the healthy state of trate in this country.

The principal assets are as follows:-This year. Last year.

Land, Buildings &c ... 188,363,480 190,422,224 Working and transport . 9,877,771 10,713,4892 are unchanged. partly finished goods, 160,771,698 147,397,177 and are wanted at \$10. Cements after sales Stock of finished and Patents and Licences ...

Cash in hand, portefolio and balances at bankers 56,116,484 Sandry Debtors ... 37,195,592 39,374,527 Watsons at \$43 and Powell's at \$5. Steam The chief liabilities are: -180,000,000 180,000,000 Laundrys at \$63. Share api al Reserves as prescribed 14,000,000 13,000,000 Special reserves ... ... Loans and Deleatures 55,946,410 57,223,760 9,1-2,534 8,941,238

Guaranteo funds Deposits by employes ... 37,440,406 35,832,137 Payments on account ...135,582,721 116,321 350 51,8681 5 45,743,192 Other Creditors ... The Profit and Loss Account shows a credit balauce of M.28,876 194 against M.21,437,194 last year, including that brought forward from last account, and after deducting State Insurances of hands 4,223,677 4,354,110

Contributions to their own bonevolent funds 6 428,241 5,482,366 The balance has been allocated as follows .-Legal reserve funda 5 pret. 1,433,613 2,060,000 Special reserves 1,000,000  $1.0000.0\, \#$ l'ension fund ...

Guarantee funds ... The dividend to the shareholders has been fixed at 10 per cent., the same as last year. THE RISE IN PRICES.

Unfortunately the high prices of most articles of consumption impede the free development of the home trade. They hardly seem warranted as far at least as breadstuffs are concerned, for the fears entertained in the Statistical, Bureau to amount in thousands of general strike was suggested. tons of 1,000 wlos bach to

whilst the stands in Argentina and Australia are present conditions chief engineers were paid reported to be promising. It is only in Russis from £15 to £18 per month. "I know second that the harvest has proved deappointing, engineers," he said, "who are sailing the seas Accurately Barley and oats are slightly below the average of the previous four years in Germany, whilst potatoes one of the most important articles of food, show a considerable shortage, the figures being in thousands of tons of 1,000 kilos each.: 34,374 against 43,1683 in 1910

45,8427 in 1908 Hay has been a poor crop, but it is hoped that the admission free of duty of feeding stuffs abroad will tend to check the advance in the prices of butcher's meat.

The best crop I dealt with in my last letter, since when the sugar markets have manifested a declining tendency. At the same time the London Produce leaving House has, with a speculators for a corner new and in future, PINKLE 18 dispel Constipation, ensure re- decid d to add a new clause to their contracts

#### HONGKONG SHARE MARKET

Messrs. Vernon and Smith in their weekly share report dated January 5th state:-The market after the New Year holidays has opened with a strong enquiry for most of the investment stocks, and although the volume of business put through has not been large, rates again show marked advance on those ruling at the close of 1911. Sterling Rubbers have also improved, and the tendenry of the London market as wired by our agents is towards further improvement. Fine dard Para Rubber closes in London with buyers at #44 per h, firm. At the Rubber Auction, 500 tons of Plantation Rubber were sold, he highest and lowest prices for both Smoked and Unsmoked Sheet being 5/1 and 5/2 peralb. respectively. Trough (Tin) Mines have been sold to London at 63/- down to 57/6 ex div., the decline being doubtless due to the low output for December, which, as wired by our London agents, is stated at 122 tons, or 2,050 piculs, the lowreturn being again attributed to the floods at the mine and the continued heavy rains. The Bank of England\_rate\_of\_discount is quoted at a per cent, and the open market rate at 33 per cent. Bar Silver closes at 25.5-16d., firm, and Sterling T.T. at 1/103. Shinghai T.T. is unchanged at 74%

Banks .- Hongkong and Shanghais have been done at the improved rate of \$870, and later at \$875, market closing with buyers at the higher figure. London has also advanced, the quotation now being £82. MARINE INSURENCES, -Unions, which con-

tinue in strong request, have advanced to \$815 buyers without sales. Cantons are also a firm market with buyers at \$190, and no shares obtainable under an advance. China Traders, North Chinas and Yangtszes are unchanged and without local business. FIRE INSURANCES.—Hongkongs are firm

and unobtainable at \$355. Chinas have again advanced and can now be placed at-

Smpring,-Hongkong, Canton and Macaos have advanced to \$28 with sales and further buyers. Indo-Chinas are quiet with sellers at \$60 combined, the London quotation being unchanged at 110/-. China and Manilas have sold and are wanted at \$10, and Douglases also could probably be placed at \$21. Star Ferrys are in request at \$271 (old) and \$17 (new), and Shell Transports at 82/-, the London quotation for the latter being 83/3 (middle).

REFINERIES.—China Sugars have firmed to a buying rate of \$104, but at \$103 there are sellers. Luzons have been booked at \$35.

wanted at Tls. 12, and Raubs after sales at \$3% and \$4 could probably be obtained at the higher role. Charbonnages are unchanged at \$695 nominal.

DOCKS, WHARVES AND GODOWNS,-Hongkong and Whampoa Docks are wanted at \$462 and Kowloon Wharves at \$552 after sales at \$56. New Amoy Docks continue in request at \$74 and a higher rate would probably be paid. Shanghai Docks are quoted at Tls. 57 buyers, and Shanghai and CHRISTMAS Hongkew Wharves at Tls. 89 steady.

LANDS, HOTELS AND BUILDINGS.-Hongkong Lands have improved to \$102 with sales and buyers. West Points continue in request at \$40, and Kowloon Lands can now be placed at \$30. Hongkong Hotels remain quiet but steady at \$119 and \$75 for old and new respectively. Humphreys Estates after sales in the early part of the week at \$61. have firmed up to \$65 with buyers and no shares at present obtainable.

COTTON MILLS.-There are buyers of Hongkongs at 842, but otherwise quotations MISCELLANEOUS .- China Borneos have sold 2 at \$32 are now asked for at \$3.60. Electrics l'are wanted at \$2 t, Icos at \$207, Water 36,011,450 Boats at \$79, China Lights at \$1.20,

Fisheries are procurable at \$5, and Steam RUBBERS. ETC. -- Closing quotations

6,445,964 5,382,699 (middle price) received by wire from London to-day are as follows :--United Serdangs ..... 110% 

Ledburys ...... 57/ London Asiatics ...... 12/6 London Ventures ........... 1/-Allagars ..... Anglo-Malays ..... 17/3 Consolidated Malays ..... 15/9 E. & 1. Trusts ..... Rubber Trusts ...... 16/- premium. Shell Transports, "bearer" 83/3 Tropolis ..... Hongkong Electric Trams 372

SHIPS' OFFICERS.

Indo-Chinas (combined)... 110 -

GRIEVANCES BEING INVESTIGATED BY SPECIAL COMMITTEE.

The wages and conditions of employment of officers and engineers in the mercantile marine are at present being considered by a Special summer, that the heat and absence of moisture | Committee of the Shipping Federation, and it is might have the same unfavourable effect on the | hoped that the result will be a uniform standard cereal crops as on roots and potatoes, have proved of remuneration. The grievances of the men unfounded. The yield of wheat and rye in are being explained by the Merchant Marine this country exceeds that of any of the previous | Service Association and the sgitation dates from four seasons, being reported by the Imperial the recent unrest among the seamen when a

"It is admitted, of course, that in the case Wheat 4,066.3 against ... 3,861.5 in 1910. of the large firms which own liners, the offi-... 3,767.7 in 908. cers and engineers are paid at standard rates. ... 10511.1 in 1910, and it is in the deep sea tromp steamers that ... 10,736.9 in 1908. the grievance of low wages is felt most. An In the United States and Canada the crops o official of one of the mercantile associations wheat and Indian corn have been satisfactory, told a home paper representative that under at salaries of £11 to £13 per month, while third engineers are paid as low as £8 to £9. On tramp steamers I have known third engineers paid at £5 10s. to £7. Officers whose duty lies on the top deck are paid at similarly low rates. There are second officers who have spent years in training themselves for their posts whose Our Stock is Complete, Assortment wages range from £7 10s, to £9 per month.

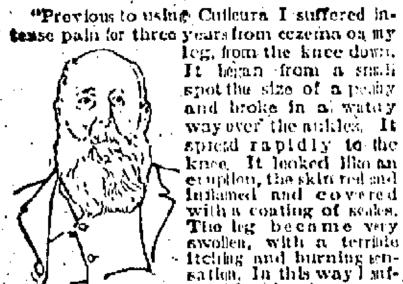
"It is true that seamen get 'all found,' but It is a low wage to offer men who have been to the expense of going to marine schools, and have spent the best years of their lives in making themselves fit to navigate a ship. The p esent, conference is between London and Liverpool firms, and the large companies who own fleets of liners do not come into the quesview to stop manipulations on the part of tion so much For the last ten years expenses have been going up, the cost of living bas increased, but every one has lost sight of the men who command the ships which bring food with a great deal of wear and tear. Pessibly if!

the seamen had not struck in the summer nothing would have been heard of the billcore, but it is scarcely fair that the men who handle the cargo and do the meaner work of the vessel should have an increase while the brain that navigates should go unreward."

#### INTIMATIONS

Terrible Itching and Burning from Knee Down. Skin Very Swollen and Inflamed. Covered with Scales.

Tried All Kinds of Remedies to No Avail. "Cuticara" Cured Him.



I assure you I have tried all kinds of remedies and consulted several medical men. In fact I tried almost every kind of treatment one could mention, but all to no avail. My disease was as bad or worse than ever until tried Cuticura. After a few applications I felt rellef and I continued until cured. Now thanks to Cutleura, 1 cm walk about with case and comfort, the itching is gone and my-

leg is its normal size. I recommended the Culicura treatment to a friend who had stiffered from eczema twentyseven years. He has commenced the use of Cutleura and is rapidly getting carel." (Signed) Richard Barrett, Mission to Scamen Institute, Ruperra St. Newport Mon.,

England, Nov. 24, 1909. Cutleura Remedies afford the most economleaf treatment known for affections of the skin and scalp. Sold throughout the world Depots; Landon, 27, Charterhouse Sq.; Paris, 10, Rue de la Chaussee d'Antin; Australia, R. Towns & Co., Sydney; India, B. K. Paul,
Calcutta; Sor Africa; Lennon, Ltd., Capo;
Town, etc.; U. S. A., Potter Drug & Chem.
Corp., Sole Props., Boston, Bend for free 32page Cuticura, Hook on the speedy treatment of skin and scalp diseases.

# sellers. Luzons have been proposed but at the close, are slightly easier, with sellers at \$344.

Beg to invite inspection of their

a Speciality.

INEXPENSIVE

SEASON'S

MODERN ART JEWELLERY

GOODS

ENGLISH MOUNTED

CHINESE JADE JEWIL LERY

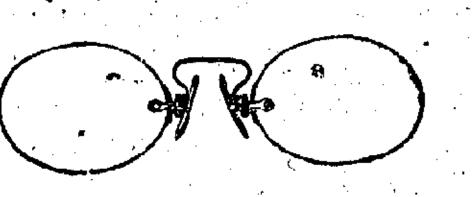
GOLD BRACELET WATCHES IN GREAT VARIETY.

# MAPPIN & WEBB'S

STERLING SILVER AND LEATHER GOODS.

CLOCKS AND TIME-PIECES

of all descriptions.



## PINCE NEZ SPECTACLES

Individual's

-Lenses Ground on the Premises.

Varied, in all Metals.



#### NOTIOR.

No. 1 N

Jommunications respecting Advertisements, Subscriptions, Printing, Dinding, &c., should be addressed DAILY PRESS only, and special business matter THE MANAGER. Advertisements and Subscriptions which are not ordered for a fixed period will be ontinued until countermanded. Orders for extra copies of DAILY PHESS

should be sent in before 11 a.m. on day of publication. After that hour the supply is timited. Only supplied for Cash. P.O. Box, 33. Telephone No. 12.

#### MEW ADVERTISEMENTS

LOST.

THE lower half of a GOLD SEAL. Blood Stone engraved with two Crests and a date. Finder will be liberally rewarded on returning same to the P. & O. S. N. Co.

NOW ON SALE.

Hongkong, 6th January, 1912.

#### TABLES MAIL

FOR 1912.

Shows the dates of departure of the Mail to Europe and America, and the dates of their expected arrival at their destinations, as well as the dates of return Mails.

Mounted on Card ... 30 Cents. Oa Paper ... ... ... 20

On Sale at the Hongkoug Daily Press Office. Hongkong, 6th January, 1912.

THE HONGKONG WEEKLY PRESS & .CHINA OVERLAND TRADE REPORT is now ready and contains: —
Far Eastern News.

Leading Articles. The Revolution: An Overdue Honour. The Situation in China. On Strikes. Random Reflections. Hongkong News. Trade Review, 1911. Shipping Notes. The Far East in Parliament. Canton News.

The Revolution. Opium Merchants and the Government. Correspondence :-Railway Mis-Management. River Steamer, Destroyed. Local Sports

Death of Mr. Alex. Meleod. Swatow Notes. Hongkong Club Boys' Revolt. Muriler at Lyeemoon. The Fancy Dress Ball at Kingschere. British Troops in China Commercial.

The Ichang Deportation Case.

Shipping. Extra copies 30 cents each, Cash. Copies can be posted from this Office to addresses sent'; including postage, 34 cents each. \$1 Cash for three copies. Subscription: \$12 per annum, payable in advance; postage \$2. Hongkong, 6th January, 1912.

#### LOST

TN D'Aguilar Street, A PIN Set with DIAMONDS and MOONSTONES in shape of a rose. Reward on applying to-4. GAGE STREET. Hongkong, 5th January, 1912.

SHORTHAND AND TYPEWRITING.

UPILS prepared for Theory, Intermediate and Advanced Certificate. "TOUCH SYSTEM" of Typewriting; rapid advancement. For terms, apply-

TOUCH SYSTEM," Care of "Daily Press" Office. Hongkong, 24th October, 1911.

HONGKONG FOOTBALL CHALLENGE SHIELD.

INTRIES for the above Competition will be received by the Undersigned up to MONDAY, 8th January, 1912. Entrance fee, \$5 each team, should be sent to the Hon. Treasurer, J. C. ROBERTS, Care of HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK. A Meeting will be held the same Evening at 5.30 in the Y.M.C.A. Rooms, Alexandra Buildings, to arrange dates, etc. Each team entered is invited to send a represoutative to the Meeting.

A HAMILTON, Hon. Secretary. Care of Education Dept. Hongkong, 30th December, 1911. 1487

HONGKONG ELECTRIC CO., LTD.

ST. GEORGE'S BUILDINGS.

NOTICE,

HIHE extension of the Electric Light to the Peak District is expected to be completed by about the End of March, 1912. Intending consumers are advised to have their Houses wired in readiness, to avoid delay in obtaining the light. The Company are prepared to submit estimates for Wiring Houses on application.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 16th December, 1911.

BROWN, JONES & Co.

TTALIAN MARBLE FIGURES. CROSSES and HEADSTONES. BLACK, RED and GREY GRANITE MEMORIALS in Stook. WREATHS with Glass Shades from \$4 up.

41, Morrison Hill Road. Telephone 423. Hongkong, 18th October, 1911.

BROWN, JONES & Co.,

#### ENTERTAINMENTS

## CITY HALL.

TO NIGHT (SATURDAY). JAN. 6TH.

THE CONTESTS OF THE SEASON. MAIN-EVENT-

20 Rounds BILL LEWIS ". STOKER ARNOLD Welterweight MICKY DUNN. · Champion The Pick of the China of the Orient. Station.

15 Rounds Bandsman SHUTER, v. Pte. POTTER, H.M.S. "MINOTAUB." K.O.Y.L.I. 15 Rounds. v. Cpl. SCRUTON, Stoker CHALK,

K,O,Y,L.I. H.M.S. "MINOTAUR." 6 Rounds Pto. WEBB, Seaman SKINNER. H.M.S. "MONMOUTIL." K.O.Y.LI. Doors Open 8 15, commenciar 9 r.m. sharp. Admission 83 and 84, Ringside Seats 86. Soldiers and Sailors in uniform \$2 to \$3 Seats.

PIANO Co. MESSES. KELLY and BOND, Timekeepers. P.O. SMITH, Referee. Hongkong, 29th December, 1911. [1482]

Bookings and Plans at the ROBINSON

#### VICTORIA THEATRE.

Extraordinary Success of the Clever Dancers. HARRIS AND VERNON.

and the HONGKONG FAVOURITE ARTISTE, LYNDA DAVIES. Miss 2 PERFORMANCES 2 ...

7.15 and 9.15 p.m.. MATINEES-SATURDAYS and SUNDAYS at 4 P.M. MAGNIFICENT FILMS

CHANGE OF PROGRAMME Every Two Days. Coming: PRESTON and RICARDO. Hongkong 3rd January, 1912.

THEATRE 2

ROYAL.

A GRAND VARIETY ENTERTAINMENT

CITY HALL.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 13TH, AT 9.15 P.M.

FOR CHARITY.

#### ENTIRE" CHANGE OF PROGRAMME !

Including the loading Artistes of the Colony. The Programma will Conclude with a GRAND HARLEQUINADE As produced at the leading Theatres in Europe,

FULL ORCHESTRA. PRICES ... ... \$3, \$2 and \$1. Soldiers and Sailors in uniform 50 cents.

Booking at MOUTRIE'S. Hongkong, 3rd January, 1912

#### BIJOU SCENIC THEATRE.

FLOWER STREET.

CINEMATOGRAPH VAUDEVILLE.

9.15 P.M. Every Evening 9.15 P.M.

A COMPLETE CHANGE OF PICTURES! Every WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY.

ALL NEW TO HONGKONG.

MISS EILEEN MURRAY, THE POPULAR COMEDIENNE,

7.15 P.M. Pictures only 7.15 P.M. POPULAR PRICES.

Lessee and Manager: R. H. SPEPHENSON Hongkong, 3rd January, 1912.

#### NOTICES OF FIRMS

NOTICE.

TATE HAVE This Day admitted Mr. VV LIONEL MOUNTSTUART WHYTE as a Partner in the Business of GARNER, QUELCH & Co., Hongkong. GARNER, QUELCH.& Co.,

Wine Merchants. Hongkong, 1st January, 1912.

MR. CHARLES CAMPBELL SKERRETT-ROGERS has This Day been admitted a Partner in our Firm. M. W. GREIG & Co. Foschow, 1st January, 1912.

> ON SALE AT THE

HONGKONG DAILY PRESS OFFICE.

NEW AND UP-TO-DATE PLANS OF THE SI-KIANG

WEST RIVER.

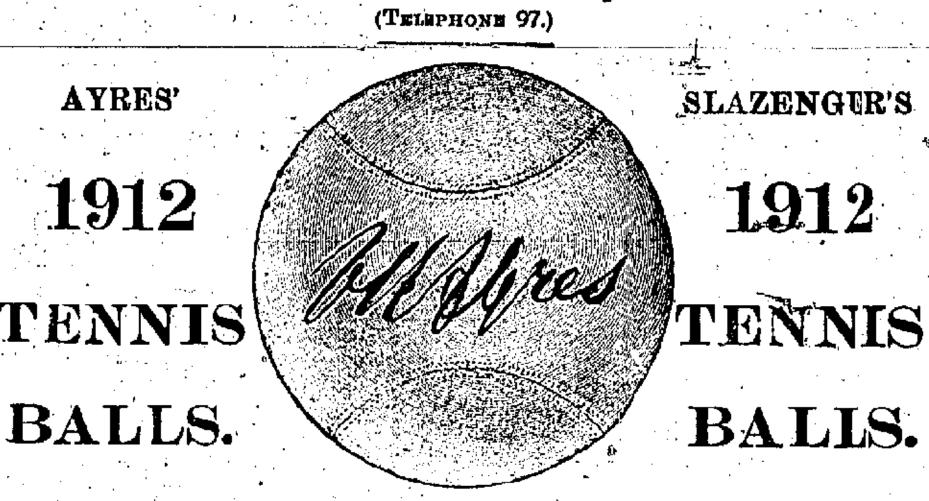
PRICE ONE DOLLAR. Giving all the Important Towns en route

from CANTON TO WUCHOW.

#### INTIMATION

# BOXING! BOXING! LANE, CRAWFORD

AYRES' 1912TENNIS



1912

From \$8.00 each.

LADIES' AND GENTLEMEN'S GOLF CLUBS. LAWN MOWERS and MARKERS.

SPECIAL VALUE FOOTBALL BOOTS From \$5.00 per pair.

From \$8.50 per pair.

NIS SHOES From \$2.50 per pair.

SWEATERS From \$3.50 per pair.

# LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

#### FOR SALE

FOR SALE.

ERRINGTON, 7-Roomed House, Penk (NETHERLANDS INDIA COMMERICAL BANK).

Road, beautiful situation. For Terms, apply to-C. SCHRÖTER, Care of Mesers. Garrels, Borner & Co.. King's Buildings, IIIrd. Hongkong, 10th July, 1911.

FOR SALE,

T a Moderate Price, 40 ACRES of LAND in the Colony, suitable for Chicken Farming or Raising Pigs or Cattle.

Apply to-Care of "Daily Press" Office. Hongkong, 12th August, 1911.

#### SPECIALITIES.

CEND for our own make:-

PORK SAUSAGES, BEEF SAUSAGES, PRESSED BEEF,

LADIES!

BRAWN. CORNED BEEF AND CORNED PORK

We guarantee satisfaction.

DAIRY FARM CO., LTD.

PLEASE! JUST UNPACKED!

YOUR KIND ATTENTION

OLD and Silver Fringes for Ball Dresses and for Tassells, 1, 13, 23, 3, 32 Inches wide, Silver, Silver and Gold Beaded, Beaded and Colours Spangle Trimmings. Also Gold and Silver Braids, assorted sizes. Ladies' Special Evening Gloves, and Ladies' and Gentlemen's nid Gloves, &c., &c.

HOOSAIN-ALI & Co., No. 14, Queen's Road Central, Corner of Zetland Street, Hongkong, Hongkong, 12th December, 1911,

#### CLEARANCE SALE.

LL GOODS remaining at GRACA & Co.'s A. Temporary Store at Hongkong Hotel, Building Pedder Street, are Now on Sale at Great Reduction of Price. Goods must be sold within this Week from 2nd to 9th January and are offered at liberal discount.

Inspection Welcomed. [135 Hongkong, 3rd January, 1912.

### A LING & CO...

19. QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL. FURNITURE AND PHOTO GOODS STORE.

Photographic Goods of every Description in Stock.

Developing and Printing Undertaken Hongkong, 31st July, 1907.

#### BANKS

TEDERLANDSCH-INDISCHE HANDELSBANK.

Established 1863.

Authorised Capital Fl. 15,000,000 (£1,250,000) up Capital Fl. 12,401,050 (£1,033,421) Reserve Fund Fl. 3,252,157,01 (2271,013

> HEAD OFFICE: AMSTERDAM. HEAD AGENCY: BATAVIA. LONDON BANKERS

THE WILLIAMS DEACONS BANK, SWISH BANKVEREIN. BRANCHES AND AGENTS all over the

THE BANK transacté every description of Banking and Exchange business, receives money in Current Account at the rate of 2 percent. per

annum on Daily balances and accepts Fixed Deposits at the following rates:-12 months 4% per annum. 6 do. 31% C. WOLDRINGH, Manager, No. 8, Des Voeux Rond Central.

Hongkong, 15th August, 1909. MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.

AUTHORISED CAPITAL ... £1,500,000 SUBSCRIBED. PAID UP RESERVE FUND 325,000 \*\*\*

HEAD OFFICE: 40, Threadneedle Street. LONDON, E.C. BRANCHES:

Bombay. Galle. Calcutta. Singapore. Howrah. Penang. Kota Bahru, Kelantan Madras. Kuala Lumpur, F.M.S Karachi. Hongkong. Rangoon. Colombo. Shanghai. Kandy.

AGENTS IN JAPAN: Messra JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., LTD

BANKERS: BANK OF ENGLAND. LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK, LTD.

Every description of Banking and Enhange business transacted. Stocks, and Shares bought and sold on account of Constituents. Letters of Credit granted on Agents and Correspondents all over the world. INTEREST sllowed on Current Accounts at 2 per cent, per annum on Daily Balance and on Fixed Deposits as under :---

For 3 months 21 per cent. per annum. F. C. MACDONALD Acting Manager.

HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

Hongkong, 14th July, 1911.

THE Business of the above Bank conducted by the HONGKONG ANI SHANGH'AI BANKING CORPORA Amoy TION. Rules may be obtained on application INTEREST on deposite is allowed at 31 Canton per cent. per annum.

Depositors may transfer at their option | Keeling balance \$100 or more to the HONGHOM AND SHANGHAI BANK to be placed on FIXED DEPOST at 4 per cent. per annum. For the Hongkong and Shanghai BANKING CORPORATION. N. J. STABB

Hongkong, 24th January, 1911,

Chief Manger.

BANK

BANKS

AUTHOBISED CAPITAL.....Yen 48,000,000 

HEAD OFFICE-YOKOHAMA

Branches and Agencies at Antung-Heien Liso-Yang Ryojun (Port Arthur) Bombay Loudon San Francisco Changehun Shanghai Lyons Dairon (Dalny) Nagasaki Tishling Fengtien (Mukden) Newchwang Tientsin New York Tokyo Hankow Honolulu Osaka

Kobe

INTEREST ALLOWED ON CURRENT ACCOUNTS Deposits received for fixed periods at rates to be obtained on application.

Pekin

TAKEO TAKAMICHI, Manager. Hongkong, 25th September, 1911.

TIONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL ... \$15,000,000 RESERVE FUNDS :-STERLING £1,500,000 at 2/--\$15,000,000

SILVER ... \$16,750,000 RESERVE LIABILITY OF PROP'TORS \$15,000,000

COURT OF DIRECTORS. G. H. MEDHUEST, Esq.—Chairman. E. Shellim, Esq., Deputy Chairman. F. H. Armstrong, Esq. | F. Lieb, Esq. Andrew Forbes, Esq. W. L. Pattenden, Esq. G. Friesland, Esq. Hon. Mr. C. H. Ross. C. S. Gubbay, Esq. H. A. Siebs, Esq. G. R. Laurenz, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGER: Hongkong-N. J. STABB.

Shanghai-H. E. R. HUNTER. LONDON BANKERS: LONDON COUNTY AND WESTMINSTER

BANK, LIMITED.

MANAGER:

Hongkong-Interest Allowed. On Current Account at the rate of Two per cent. per annum on the Daily Balance.

ON FIXED DEPOSITS. For 3 months, 21 per cent. per Annum. For 6 months, 3½ per cent. per Annum. For 12 months, 4 per cent. per Annum.

Chief Manager. Hongkong, 5th October 1911.10

N. J. STABB,

THE CHARTERED BANK OF IND: AUSTRALIA AND CHINA. INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER, 185

HEAD OFFICE-LONDON. PAID-UP CAPITAL ..... £1,200,00 RESERVE FUND ......£1,625,00

RESERVE LIABILITIES OF PROPEIL-TORS......£1,200,00 INTEREST allowed on Current Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the Dai

On Fixed Deposite for 12 months 4 per con-WM. DICKSON, Manager.

Hongkong, 2nd May, 1911.

# INTERNATIONAL BANKING

CORPORATION. CAPITAL PAID UP ... ... Gold \$3,250,000 RESERVE FUND ... Gold \$3,250,000

Gold \$6,500,000 HEAD OFFICE: 60 Wall Street, New York. LONDON OFFICE: 36 Bishopsgate. LONDON BANKERS: BANK OF ENGLAND,

NATIONAL PROVINCIAL BANK OF ENGLAND, LD. THE CAPITAL & COUNTIES BANK, LIMITED. BRANCHES  $\mathbf{AND}$ AGENTS ALL OVER THE WORLD.

The Corporation transacts every description of Banking and Exchange Business, receives money on Current Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on daily balances and accepts Fixed Deposits at the following rates: For 12 months 4 per cent. per annum.

For 3 GEORGE HOGG, Manager. No. 9, Queen's Road, Central Hongkoug, 21st February, 1911.

THE BANK OF TAIWAN, LIMITED (INCORPORATED BY SPECIAL IMPERIAL CHARTER). Capital Subscribed (paid up) ... Yen 6,250,000

HEAD OFFICE: TAIPEH, FORMOSA:

BRANCHES AND AGENCIES! Swatow Tainan Anping Tameui Kobe Nagasaki Tekyo Foochow Osnka Yokohama Shanghai

Interest allowed on Current Accounts Deposits received on terms which may be had on application. K. TSUDZURABARA, Manager. Hongkong, 1st May, 1911,

HONGKONG OFFICE:

3. DES VŒUX ROAD.

TO LET

TO LÉT. FFICES in King's Building.

Apply to-THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST-MENT & AGENCYCO., LD. Hongkong, 1st January, 1912

TO. LET. 🐃

NTO. 34, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAT No. 24, D'AGUILAR STREET, witable for Godown, etc. Lately occupied by Vienna Café & Co. For Particulars, etc., apply to-CHANG FAT,

Same address. YEE SANG FAT & CO Hongkong, 5th October, 1911,

Care of YEE SANG FAT

TO BE LET.

Oz or about 1st March, 1912. CHOPS and OFFICE, in Alexandra Buildings, adjoining the Hongkong Dispensary, at present occupied by Mossra

Wm. Powell, Ltd. A. S. WATSON & Co., LTD., Alexandra Buildings. Hongkong, 29th August, 1911.

TO LET, NO. 9, BEACONSFIELD ARCADE

\_Beaconsfield. "BANGOUR," No. 72, PEAR; 5 Roomed Bungalow with Tennis Court. From 15th Dec. Rent \$125.00 and taxes. "KELLETT CREST," No. 66, PHAR No. 57, PRAYA GRANDE, Macao. FOR SALE .- TOR CREST, at Peak, com-

manding a Magnifleent View of the Harbour and Adjacent Islands, Apply to LINSTEAD & DAVIS. 3rd Floor, Alexandra Buildings. Hongkong, 1st January, 1912.

TO LET. GODOWN, No. 4, New Prays, Kennedy

Apply—
THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST MENT & AGENCY CO., LD. Hongkong, 1st January, 1912.

TO LET. FFICES TO LET: First class, central O accomodiation, light and airy, on First, Second, or Third Floor in new building being erected for MESSRS. WHITEAWAY, LAIDLAW & Co., LTD., Entrance from Des Voeux Road. Electric lift to all floors, Electric Light throughout.

The plan can be seen and all particulars obtained at the Offices of, MESSES. PALMERA TURNER. Alexandra Buildings, 3rd Floor

Hongkong, 9th December, 1911. [130]

TO LET.

Furnished for 10 Months from 13th March next. TRAGSIDE, BARKER ROAD, PEAK Tennis Court.

Hongkong, 20th December, 1911.

Apply— A. H. SKELTON, Care of Lane, Chawford & Co.

TO LET. TEW and COMMODIOUS Nathan Road, Kowloon. Possession. Cheap Rontals. KOWLOON MARINE LOT 48, Yaumati, Area 85,200 square feet with 255 feet Sea

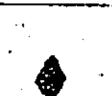
Frontage. Especially suited for Storage of Coal, Timber, &c.

Apply to-HUMPHREYS ESTATE & FINANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

SINGON & CO. ESTABLISHED A.D. 1880.

Hongkong, 2nd November, 1911.

Market). Telephone No. 515



FRON, Steel, Metal and Hardware Merchants

Wholesale and Retail Lroamongers, Pig

tron and Foundry Coke Importers. General Storekeepers and Shipchandlers. Nos. 35 & 37,

HING LOONG STREET (2nd St. west of Central

AMITSU BISHI GOSHI KWAISHA.

DEPARTMENT OOAL SOLE PROPRIETORS of TAKASIMA OCHI, MUTABE, YOSHINOTANI, HOJO, KANADA, NAMAZUTA, SAYO

SHINNEW and KAMIYAMADA, Collieries. AGENTS FOR KISHIDAKE AND SAKITO Coals. HEAD OFFICE:-MARUNOUCHI,

TOKYO.

BRANCH OFFICES :- NAGASAKI, MOJI, KARATSU, WAKAMATSU, KOBE, OSAKA, BHANGHAI, HONGKONG, HANKOW. Cable addresses for above, "IWASAKI" Codes, AI, ABC 5th Ed., Western Union

AGENCIES: YOKOHAMA: M. ASADA, Esq. CHINKIANG: Mesers. Graning & Co. MANILA: Messrs, MACONDRAY & Co. SINGAPORE: Mesers. Bornso Co., LTE. For Particulars, apply to Y. SHIBUYA,

Manager, No. 2, Pedder Street, Hongkong. Hongkong, 10th August, 1911.

(MITSU BISHI CO.)



## NAPIER JOHNSTONES

"SQUARE BOTTLE"

WHISKY.

UNVARIED FOR OVER 150 YEARS.

THE SAME TO-DAY AS IN

1745.

BEWARE OF IMITATIONS.

SOLE AGENTS IN HOUGHONG: LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., and from ALL WINE MERCHANTS.

"Analysis PROVES that

are Stotland's Best - "Enormously increased in food value by the addition of Plasmon."-Lancel. PORRIDGE IN PERFECTION.

4 minutes boiling only. PLASMON is used by the ROYAL FAMILY & Plasmon, Ltd., London, Eng.

Makes your skin soft and smooth. You can easily have a clear, velvety, healthy complexion if you use

Rowland's Kalydor

"For Your Skin." This world-famous preparation a quickly This world-famous preparations quality removes freekles, reduces, roughness; cutanious eruptions, and other disorders of the skin. Perhaps you know how unpleasant it is to suffer from these skin traddes—but whether you do or not, you should always have a bottle of Rowland's Ralydor handy and use it night and more than that it fears your chemist. Rowland & ing Get it from your chemist. Rowland & Sons, 67, Hatton Garden, London, E.C. Sold by stores and chemists. Ask for Rowland's Kalydor, of 67, Hatton Garden, Loudon, and avoid spurious imitations;

## CONTRACTOR MARTIN'S

Franch Poinady for all Irregularities. Thousands of Ladies always keep a box of Marting Piligio the house, so that on the first along of any irregularity of the System of the line y does may be admittated. Those will mentioned the World, or pass feet out the Market Branchest Chemisto and Stores with the Market or pass feet out the Market Branchest Chemisto, Bouthampton, Kaling

MARTIN'S PIOL & STEEL PILLS

and those suffering from diseases of the stomach and intestines. A physician, surgeon and pharmacentist of the highest standing in Europe, Saiz de Carlos, introduces to the public the best and safest treatment for the cure of diseases of the stomach and Intestines. This remedy he has named

less digestive tonic; relieving pain, aiding digestion, stimulating appetite, and toning the entire system. It is gradual and benign in its effects, restoring the digestive functions to their normal power and health, with ability to do their work unaided. To the Medical Profession.

Physicians who have kindly reported to Dr. Saiz de Carlos the results, in Europe, of

Dr. Saix de Carlos the results, in Europe, of this remedy where prescribed, state that in cases of changic gastritis, gastraigla and flyspensia (combined with ghiorosis), tea-sickness, chronic gastro-enteritis; gastraigla, anamia, gastrio-neurosthesia, ulcar in the stomath, dysentery, dyspensia, hyperchloridia, dilatation of the stomath, and in gastro-intestital diseases in children, etc., by using no other medicine than Stomally, they have been cratified at the curative results, diseases of gratified at the curative results, diseases of thirty years' standing yielding to the remedy.

For sale by all Druggists.

FRANCIS NEWBERY & SONS, Ltd., London, Edg. AGENTS: A. S. WATSON & Co., Ltd., Hongkong.

Distributing Agents:

# Beetham's

SOFT AS VELVET, and keeps It SOFT SMOOTH and WHITE { all the year round Removes and prevents Roughness, - Redness, Imitation, Tan. etc. -COOLING AND REFRESHING DURING THE SUMMER HEAT

M. BEETHAM & SON, CHELTENHAM IL ENGLAND BRITAIN'S MILITARY FORCES.

A jamphlet on the British Military Forces has been issued to the officers and non-commissioned officers of the London Territorial units. It is a translation from the Revue Militaire of It is a translation from the Revue Militaire of last August, in which Viscount Haldane's reorganisation of the Army system was dealt with in exhaustive and analytical fashlon. The pamphlet contains a preface by Viscount Esher, who obtained permission to re-issue the article, A larger portion of the statement is given in figures which are substantially accurate and deal with the Expeditionary Army gand the forces which stand behind it once the first-pamed troops have left this country. The figures are as follows: figures are as follows:

Expedition Remaining Nos. at home. Regular Army ... 68,141 55,988 Territorial Force Reservista from abroad

155,772 422,556 The article agrees that there, is a disparity between the numbers required and that the Territorial Force, whilst 46,101 short on January 1, has in addition 83,000 men under the age of twenty years. The criticism is made that the Force of 422,000 men remaining at home do not form a homogeneous body which would be available for action against an enemy; and 157,000 men have no organisation which would allow them to act as large constituted units. Reference is made to the "boom" recrulting of the Territorial Force and the subsequent shortuges which "from all causes have increased in a disquieting proportion."
"The critical period," continues the article, will therefore be in 1912-13, when 100,000 men will be discharged. If at that time the effective force suffers too great a loss, and if it does not succeed in maintaining itself at almost its present figure, the question of compulsory military service will again present itself in a very striking manner." The officer shortage is

With regard to the Regulars it is pointed out that Budgetary necessities have so far prevented any increase of their effective forces. The Special Reservois 1,300 officers short. These are the main criticisms. On the other hand, the article considers the Expeditionary Army ready and the Territorials an advance on the Volunteers, and gives Lord Haldane credit for his work. He has, the article maintains, given a rational organisation, but it has come to a standstill. While admitting the improvement, a certain weakening has become apparent. Work of secondary importance goes on, but leaves untouched questions of much greater moment, "such as these of compulsory military instruction and of the more complete utilisation of the present millary resources, whether for increasing the effective force of the campaign or for better ensuring the Territorial defence in time of war.

ROMANCE OF THE CITY OF LONDON-

ITS LIFE AND WORK.

The romance of London day by day, of the people who make and lose fortunes in the most wonderful city in the world, how they come and go, from the millionaire to the beggarman, and what they do, is told in the report of the City of London Day Census, 1911 (just published at 1s. net by Simpkin, Marshall, Hamilton, Kent,

It is a stupendous book, whose gripping in-terest for all Londoners survives the avalanche of figures it contains. In the first place is demonstrated the pre-eminence of London among the 100 chief cities, towns, and boroughs of the United, Kingdom, Its actual area is 638 acres, and each acre has a rateable value of

In this matter it stands out supreme and unapproachable. An acre, after all, is but a small piece of land, and, with a little arithmetic, we find that each strip of land in the City an inch wide and a yard long is worth a shilling in rates.

"STREETS PAVED WITH GOLD." The old story for country cousins about London's streets being paved with gold would seem to have an element of truth in it even in

these presaic days. It appears that the City can scarcely hold any mere offices. There is no more room. Residential decrease and commercial increase go hand in hand, more especially in the heart of London, and the City is almost full to overflowing of office sites.

"SOMETHING IN THE CITY," But what of the thousands who are "something in the City!" Where and how do they toil for their daily bread? It is the section of the report dealing with this problem that is the most fascinating. There are 20,608 "firms," 27,231 "principals," and a joint total of 292,041 persons engaged in, or depending on, the respective prefessions, enterprises, and trader. The numbers of people engaged in

"some of the " great trades" are as follows: Firms. People. Printers, Publishers, Stationers, etc. 1678 38 249 ... 1,787 35,000 Drapery and Allied T. ses Financial (Bankers, Brokers, etc). 2,344 33,002 Agents, Merchants, etc. ... 3,811 28,131 Grocery, Meat and Fish ...

Newspapers (and Agencies) There are well over 400 trades—the term including "occupations" and "callings." There are 682 firms of accountants and 5,447 employés; one acetylene gas firm with two employes. In breweries 419 people are employed; as chemists, 3,429; in dentistry, 208;

medical men, 159; drapers, 7,718; hairdressers, 172 firms and 802 employés. Law claims 2,644 firms and 10,663 employes the meatmen, who disturb suburbanites on their early morning journeys to market, number 3,377. Thirty-two people make pins and needles; 1,045 deal with ostrich feathers; and in the printing trade there are 351 firms and 14,112

Shipping has 622 firms and 6,811 workers. Other curious items are: Gentlemen... ... 5 firms; 8 altogether

Pawnbrokers ... 7 Turf Accountants 6 Aeroplanes, etc., are represented in two wards and engage three people; banks number 277, with a total of 13,406 employés, Newspapers. considered so; arately, account for 8,250 persons.
In Farringdon Ward (Without) there are no fewer than 6.675 newspaper workers. There

are 3,919 people who make our clothes.

Among curious trades are "manufacturers of east wind draught excluders," while a "wine and spirit merchant" is also a "dealer in materials for artificial flowers."

ON SALE.

DOUND VOLUMES of the HONGKONG WEERLY PRESS, JANUARY to JUNE 1911. With INDEX. Price \$7.50.

On Sale at the "Hongkong Daily Press

Hongkong, 27th March, 1910.

# 

TELEPHONE 346.

## BEDSTEADS!

GREAT VARIETY. LATEST STYLES.

BRASS HALF-TESTER.

BRASS ITALIAN.

BRASS FRENCH.

BLACK AND BRASS.

COTS, WITH PATENT DROP SIDE.

BEDDING. PURE

GARNER, QUEICH & Co.,

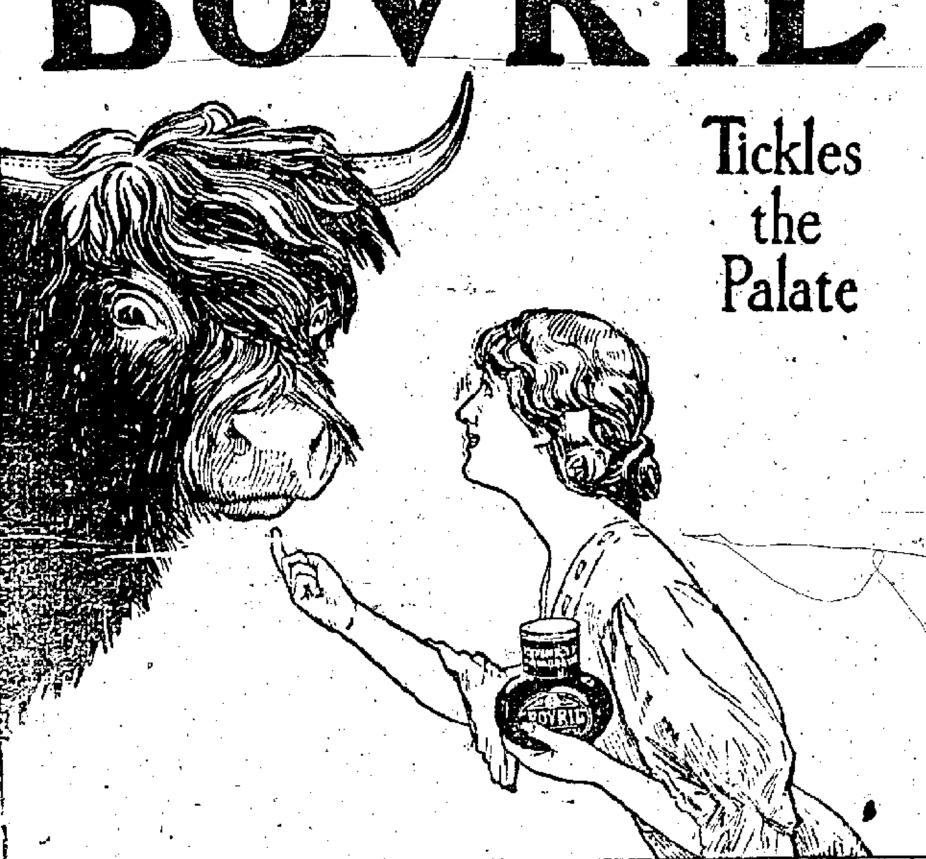
MERCHANTS,

CENTRAL, VŒUX ROAD

TELEPHONE 636.

Supply the Highest Quality WINES, SPIRITS, CIGARS AND CIGARETTES obtainable, consistent with price.

All Wines and Spirits bottled in Europe World-wide reputation.



BE SURE—the Teeth are so important that it would be a pity to neglect them—especially when you can clean them so well and so easily with

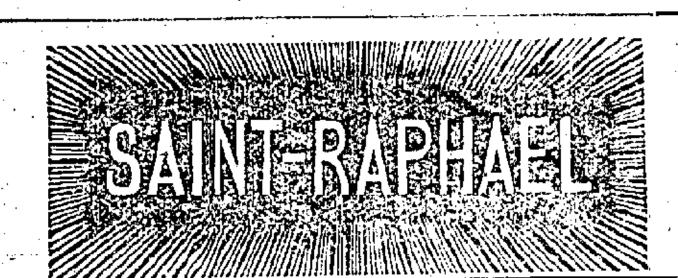
Your local dealer stocks and sells it. Makers: F. C. Calvert & Co., Manchester, England.

POWELL, GIGANTIC

SALE

## RECORDS VICTOR 8000

RECORDS From 50 Cents. ROBINSONS.



Tonic, Restorative, Digestive Wine Very palatable.

Known throughout the world and prescribed in all cases of Anomia, Debility and Convaioscence, to young women children and the aged. Invaluable in hot climates.

DOSE : One wine-glace after the two principal meals. Each bottle of genuine VIN SAINT-RAPHAEL bears, in addition to the registered trade-mark:

(1) The WARRANTY STAMP of the UNION DES FABRICANTS.
(2) A METAL SEAL advortising CILETEAS.

is a MELISSA and MINIT cordial which surpasses all others by its purety and faultless preparation. To be taken on a lump of sugar. COMPAGNIE du VIN SAINT-RAPHAEL, Volezco (Drome-France),

162] AGENTS :-- CALDBECK, MACGREGOR & Co., HONGKONG.

The only Medicine of the kind awarded a Certificate at the Calcutta Exhibition, 1883-84, open to all Countries

Por forty years has maintained its orld-wide reputation as the Best and only safe reliable Phosphoric Cure for BRAIN WRECKAGE, PARALYSIS, SLEEPLESS-.ass, Dyepopsia, Nerve, Kidney and Liver Complaints, Harassing Dreams, Preniature Detay of Vital Power, General Debility, all Blood Lisonders, and all Functional and Diseased Coaditions of the System, caused by be deficiency of the Vital Forces.

The Affect of this Standard Phosphoric Remedy in Nervous Debility and its kindred Bills is immediate and permanent, all be Miserable Peelings and Distressing Symptoms disappearing with a sapidity hat is really maryellous.

Directions for Self-Treatment of the above makes with earh Boule.



Its energizing effects are shown from the first day of its administration by a Remarkable Increase of Nerve and Intellectual Power with a feeling of Courage, Strength, and Comfort. Digestion is Invigorated. . The Appetite Increases wonderfully. Sleep becomes calm and refushing. The Face becomes fuller, the Lips red, the Eyes brighter, and Skin clear and healthy. Beware of wile imitations !- Noce

Stamp with "Dr. Lalor's Phospitudyns, London, England," engraved thereon, by order of her Blajesty's Honoumble Commissioners. Thousandsofunimpeadable toutmonial:

genuine without the British Government

from all parts of the World, and from the highest Medical Authorities No other Phosphoric Preparation has received and distinguished recognition

Sold in Bottles at 4s. 60 and 11s, each, by all Chemists throughout the World CHALLPROTURED ONLY AT DR. LALOR'S PHOSPHODYNE LABORATORY. HAMPSTEAD LONDON, ENGLAND AGENTE IN HONGRONG - A. S. WATSON &

LIFE WITHOUT HEALTH IS LIVING DEATH.

This remarkable compound, the latest discovery of modern times, is without equal in all cases of defective nerve and brain power, whether induced by worry, overwork, dissipation, or other of defective nerve and brain power, whether induced by worry, overwork, dissipation, or other influences. Sleeplessness palphation, defective circulation, nervous dyspepsin, the or neuralgia, low spirits, mental and bodly prostration; want of confidence, general debility, premature decay or deficiency of the vital forces, loss of vitality, harassing dreams, restlessness that can settle to or deficiency of the vital forces, loss of vitality, harassing dreams, restlessness that can settle to or deficiency of the vital forces, loss of vitality, harassing dreams, restlessness that can settle to or deficiency of the vital forces, female complaints, hysteria, backache, bearing down sensations, noching, irritability of temper, female complaints, hysteria, backache, bearing down sensations, making diseases, consumption, night sweaks, muddy, high-coloured water. See,, are all so many different phases of brain and nerve wreckage and exhaustion, the cause of by far like greater portion of the misery, ill-health, and despondency by which we are confronted on everyland, that can only be successfully combated by the use of this wonderful and highly scientific preparation. Bracing up the system generally, it gives tone to the exhausted nerves, arrests all weakening wasting discharges, restores the failing energies, and imparts now life and vigour to those who had so recently seemed played out, used up and valueless. Bottles Price 2s, 9d.

WITHOUT PURE BLOOD HEALTH IS IMPOSSIBLE. ETARZO BLOOD MEDICINE

Never before was there anything like it, nor can its marvellous properties ever be equalled in all cases of poorness, impurity, or other imperfection of the blood from whatever cause arising.

No sooner is it imblied into the system than it permeates and penutrates to the minutest capit. No sooner is it imblbed into the system than it permeates and pentitrates to the minutest capillaries, overcoming and expelling disease, wheresoever and in what-never form met with; removing all blotches, pimples, scurf, scury, scrofulous and glandular swellings, discolorations, roughness and maightly patches, &c. Itseffects are almost magical in the treatment of goul, theumatism sciatica, lumbago, pains and swellings of the joints, discharges, blood poison, eczema, lepapersoriasis, bad legs, bad breasts, abscrisses, ulcers, wounds, sores, goitre or Derbyshire neck, i improves the general health, and quickly removes long-standing bloochitis, asthma, and hacking straining, spasmodic cough, too often the precursor of consumption. Bottles Price 2s, 9d.

Send stamped addressed envelope for free booklet, or P.O. 2/9 for tries bottle of either remedy, to THE VETARZO REMEDIES CO., GOSPEL OAK, LCHOON. Unprincipled Vendors may try to sell you something else for extra profit to not accept it, but insist on having VETARZO. The genuine has the words "VETARZO REMEDIES" on Government Stamp. VETARZO REMEDIES ARE SOLD BY BOOT'S, CASH CHEMISTS.

dadne al noiselon DRISTLES <u>ಕಾರ್ Continental</u> OILSEEDS HIDES & SKINS RUBBER, DRUGS COTTON, WOOL ORES, MICA GUMS, AND Markets Samples veloce. Best ports for consignments in-GENERAL dicatel. PRODUCE

(Impert Dest.) Whitestier, Telegrams, "Keymer, Lander."

460

SELF CURE NO FICTION! WE SUPPERED NOW DESPAIR THE NEW FRENCH REMEDY.

THE NEW FRENCH REMEDY. Cures discharges (either sex) superseding injections
THERAPION MO. 2

Cures blood poison, bad legs, uters, sores, painful twelled joints, &c. when mercurial treatment falls.

THERAPION MO. 3

Cures chronic weakness, lost vigor and vital force.

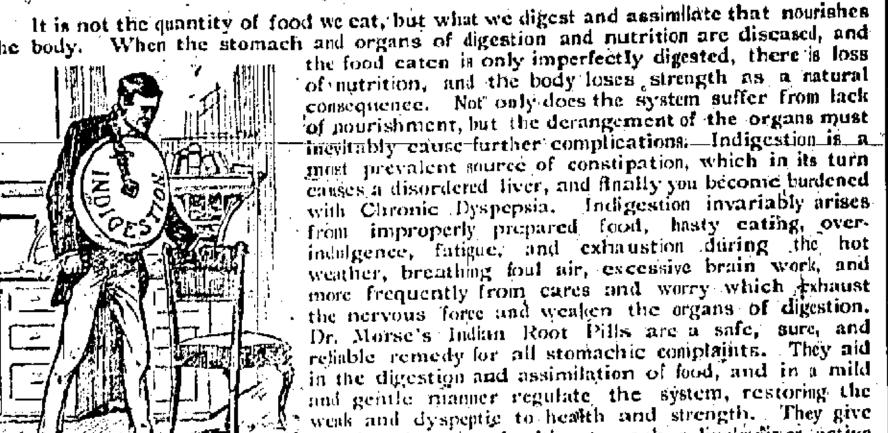
Either Number Therapion & alleest treatment directions enclosed, of chemists or post free 3/- from The Le C'erc Medicine Co., Havertock Rd., stampstead, London, Eng. Try New Dragos (Tasteless) Form of Therapion, easy to take, sate, lasting cure.

Trade Marked word THERAPION is on British Govt. Stamp affixed to every genuine packet.

15.

X THERAPION &

# INDIGESTION.



the food caten is only imperfectly digested, there is loss of nutrition, and the body loses strength as a natural consequence. Not only does the system suffer from lack of nourishment, but the derangement of the organs must incoltably cause further complications. Indigestion is a most prevalent source of constipation, which in its turn causes a disordered liver, and finally you become burdened with Chronic Dyspepsia. Indigestion invariably arises from improperly prepared food, hasty cating, over-indulgence, fatigue, and exhaustion during the hot weather, breathing foul air, excessive brain work, and more frequently from cares and worry which exhaust the nervous force and weaken the organs of digestion. Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills are a safe, sure, and reliable remedy for all stomachic complaints. They aid in the digestion and assimilation of food, and in a mild and gentle manner regulate the system, restoring the

on clean bowels, a healthy stomach, a lively fixer, active

kilneys, and blood that is rich and red. They are a perfect Blood Purifier and as positive and permanent cure for Biliousness, Indication, Constitution, Renducties, Sallow Complexion, Liver and Kidney Troubles, Piles, Pimples, Buils and Blotches,

Por Sate by WATRINS, Ltd., Wholesale and Retail Agents, and Chemists and Stores generally, at 60 cents per buttle, or will be forwarded on receipt of price by THE W. H. COMSTOCK Co., Ltd., Sole Proprietors 21, Farringdon Avenue, London, England.

THEY DO NOT WEAKEN. THEY DO NOT SICKEN. THEY DO NOT GRIPE,

# MOTHER SEIGELS SYRUP

Mother Seigel's Syrup-the world's remedy for all digestive disorders—so acts upon the organs of digestion that they are speedily restored to a state of natural activity, and thus indigestion becomes impossible. But prevention is always better than cure, and it is wiser to overcome indigestion in its early stages than

to wait until you are seriously ill. Therefore, on the first symptoms of digestive weakness-lost appetite, discomfort after meals or constipationtake Mother Seigel's Syrup and

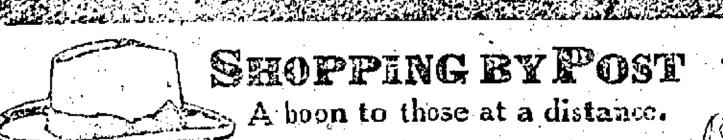
you will avoid much suffering.

Mrs. R. Peace, 28, Albion Street, Huddersfield, writes :-"Twenty years have passed since I first experienced the wonderful curative power of Mother Seigel's Syrup.

attack of indigestion, and could no longer digest my food, which used to create wind and cause acute pain in the stomach and chest. Then I was induced to buy a bottle of Mother Seigel's Syrup and it did me so much good that I bought four or five more bottles, which proved sufficient for my complete cure. "I have not suffered from indigestion since."

CURES FORMS INDIGESTION

SEE CHARLES ON CHARLES ON CONTRACTOR OF CHARLES OF CONTRACTOR OF CONTRAC





IT is impossible for those living in distant towns and villages to get everything required at the local stores, and we therefore will be pleased to send our illustrated catalogue, confident that we are meeting a real want. The catalogue shows all that is necessary for travel or residency in foreign parts, and our stock is always replete with the latest London styles.

Frame Hats, in Drab, Brown, Slate or Black, from 3/5 Tunic Shirls, Soft or Dressel Froms and Cuffs, from 2/3 Folding Panamas, Finest Make, from .. . . 10/8 Tweed, Serge, or Flannel Suits, ready to wear, from 21/-Gentleman's Boots, Glace Kid or Box Call, Black or Tab, from ... w ... ... 8/11

Postage Extra on all the above Goods Perfect Satisfaction Guaranteed.

Write at once for Car leglig No. (63). Sent Post Free on request. A. & W. PARESON, General Warehousemen. Sole Proprietors of the "Elcho" and "Kelvin" Brands, 86-90, Glassford Street, Glasgow, Scotland.

ESTABLISHED 1820 

NO MORE DANDRUFF NO MORE FALLING HAIR MORE ITCHING SCALP

## NEWBRO'S HERPICIDE

AN ARMY OFFICER'S REPORT. "For sometime past I have been troubled with dandruff, and with hair falling out. My head itched continually sentative left me and am thoroughly while my hair app ared lustreless and dend. I tried several remedies without two or three bottles for myself and any permanent relief, and had about other members of my family and have

reconciled myself to premiture baldness, had the very best of results. I am now After using a bottle of your Herpioide, prescribing it freely to my patients, with I have been greatly benefited. The hair full confidence in the result to be has stopped fulling out, and the itching | obtained. I rarely ever give a testimonial has coased and no more dandruff forms for an advertised remedy, but yours is of in the scalp. My hair is coming in thick | such merit that it is only fair that I and has a fine glossy appearance. (St.) C. D. TOWSELY,

Liout. U. S. Army (Retired), Milwankee, Wis. 1

307-v]

A "SQUARE DEAL" DOCTOR. "I beg to state that I have used the bottle of Herpicide that your reprapleased with it. I have since bought

should do so in this case." (Sa.) JOHN HEY WILLIAMS., M.D.

Asheville, N.C.

Stops Itching of the Scalp Instantly. AT DRUG STORES-Send 10 Cents in Stamps to the HERPICIDE Co., Dept. N., Detroit, Michigan, for a Sample.

INSIST UPON HERPICIDE. WATSON & CO. THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY,

SPECIAL AGENTS.

TTHE GAME. GOODA

NAT GOULD.

(Author of "The Pace that Kills," "The Roar of the Ring," etc.)

Synopsis of Instalment I—Geoffree Lovett is selected as one of the Austratiun ericket Eleven-to-play against England. He is quite a failure at the beginning of the tour, but after severe training makes a fine exhibition.

CHAPTER III.—Continued.

Colman was bowling, and sent down three beautiful balls, which Bell played carefully. He hit the fourth which was stopped at point, the fifth ball went wide, and he let it pass. It was the last ball of the over. Bell was anxious to get to the other end to take the next over, or to win the match with one great stroke. If all depended on the ball.

As Colman went back to take his run, he looked straight at Geoff, who went back a few yards until he was nearly on the rails.

"See that," said Tong, "He's going to try and force Bell, make him hit one up to Lovett.''

"Is that why he went back?" asked Mab. "Yes, but you'll see Bell won't be taken in by it," said Tomz-

Colman started; not a marmur was heard. The ball was a tempting one-Bell saw that in a second. He laid back his shoulders and the vast concourse of people knew he meant going for the winning hit. It was a thrilling moment. Bell let out, catching the ballfair. It was a glorious drive in the air. A mighty cheer echoed over the ground. It was the winning hit; it would land on the Pavilion scats again.

Then followed a remarkable silence A second before the roar of thousands-now a pin might have been heard drop.

distance. It was a great hit and Bell and hurry. Daunt ran for all they were worth. As Bell Alab, too, thought of Geoff Loyett saw him run to the left.

The fielders all looked at him; the gowd gazed at him; a sea of faces turned in his direction. Geoff said afterwards he had never left so play for the honour of their country. certain of a catch before, but to the gasping

throng it seemed almost impossible he would He saw the ball coming, swift and sure. | trip," said Mab. With userring judgment, he gauged the sit-ufation. It would not quite reach the lence,

but nearly. Mab caught Tom by the am. "I'm sure he will," she asswered, gasping. they carn their share."

Down came the ball, and Geoff's hands Gooff Lovett arrived

the match hung on a second of time. Geoff knew, no one else, what he had risked, for in his exultation, he had almost thrown the ball in the air to catch it again; afterwards he knew, had he missed it let it fall, Bell would have won the match; but he stuck to it; clutched it, would not let it go, and held it high in the air in one hand, then

What a scene! The crowd throngedround the Pavilion, shouting for Geoff Lovell until his cap at them, and as hedid so the theers were dealening.

three runs.

"You won the match, Geoff," said Abel; " it was a magnificent catch." "If he only knew," thought Geoff, but did not tell him how he nearly dropped it. "By love, they deserved to win afterthat,"

"It was a grand match," said Mab. "The best I ever snw," said an old gentleman sitting next to her, " and I have seen hundreds of matches." Mab gave him a bright smile and he

thought: " What a charming girl-wonder if she knows him? She seemed to have eyes for none of the other players." He had evidently

studied Mab's face from line to time as the match-went-on----All the way home to Twickenham, Tom chaffed his sister about Geoff Lovett.

" I'll try and get an introduction to him, and then I'll bring you in; it's the only chance, Mab." "I have no desire to be introduced," she

"Oh, yes, "you have," said Tom. ,"It's the sole desire of your heart, don't denv it. Love and admiration for the here of the hour bubles out of your eyes." ,.

"You're too ridiculous." "No, I'm not. What'll you give me if I bring about a meeting?" said Tom. "A box on the ears."

"That would not make them tiagle as much as yours do now; they're positively crimson. Do they burn painfully?"

"I'm certain they do, both of 'em. Let me feet." He touched one of her ears and drew his hand quickly back. "Scorehing hot-I knew it?"

Mab could not help laughing, although she felt vexed. "Fil tell Mrs. Kirkton," he said; she's

invited me to dinner, hasn't she?!" "Yes, and I hope you will be polite to "I shall certainly warn her that there is every possibility she will lose you before

long," said Tom. " Whe?" "Because you are in love, and when a girl's in love, she's no fit companion for anyone except the lover," said Tom.

"T've studied them. You can always tell when a girl's in love," said Tom. "How?" asked Mab. "By her eyes. Do you like boiled fish?"

"How do you know?" asked Mab amused.

"What an absurd combination," said Mab laughing "Not at all. A girl's eyes when she is in love are like the eyes of a boiled od-fish. They're soft and they bulge I've noticed it,"

said Toma "I shall be very glad when you go to school again, '' said Mab. 'At present I'm going to dine with Mrs. Kirkton, and I'll put her up to a thing or two, see if I don't." said Torn.

CHAPTER IV.

. IN DIFFERENT SPHERES The evening after the match Mrs. Kirkton and Mab went to the Haymarket Theatre. The house was full: there was a crush as they came out. Mrs. Kirkton sent a messenger to look for her motor. He was some time away, and she said to Mab, "It is most annoving. I wish I could find someone else to

go for lt." "Can I be any use? Let me have the numberg I'll find itall of "Oh, thank you so much," said Mrs. Kirk-

It was Geoff Lovett. Mab's face flushed; he looked at her admiringly. "That's the girl I saw at the match yes-

terday," he thought. As luck would have it, the messenger came up with the motor as he stepped outside. He saw the number, beckoned to them, and said, "Here it is, "I was saved the trouble of seeking for it."

"Thank you all the same," said Mrs. "It is very kind of you," said Mab, giv-

ing him a bright smile. "I saw you at the match," said Gooff. "And I saw you, of course. You played splendidly; that was a magnificent catch. ou won the match," said Mab. "All our follows worked hard. We never

played better.1 "Who is he?" asked Mrs. Kirkton, as the motor sped down the Haymarket. "Geon Lovett; he is a member of the Australian eleven. Tom and I saw him at the

"Do you know him?". .. On, no, but we met during the luncheon interval, as we walked round the ground." "He appears to have a lively recollection of you," said Mrs. Kirkton, smiling. She

was very much attached to Mab. During the ride home Mab was silent. Mrs. Kirkton said to herself: "She's thinking about him: he is a good-looking young fel-

When Geoff was in his room at the hotel, he thought of his meeting with Mab. "Jolly girl, I'll bet. Wonder who she is. That was not her mother, not a bit like her. Well, there's not much chance of seeing her The ball wet high, too high to carry the again, but I shan't forget her face in a

turned, he saw Geoff standing still, then he the same night. She wished she might meet him again. She sighed The ball hung in the air-every eye was on as she thought there would be no Geoff. It all depended on one thing-would copportunity of doing so. Tom had told her Geoff miss the catch—would be get up in that all the Australians were here on a money-making game, and small blame to them. He vouchsafed the information that most of them were in good billets in the Colonies, and were granted leave of absence to

"Then they are not the sons of rich men. I thought perhaps they were, and came here for love of the game, and pleasure of the

"Of course they came for love of the game, silly " said Tom, " but I don't expect any of them are above making a few hundreds at the same time. It's jolly hard work,

Geoff Lovett arrived in Sydney the week were ready for it. He had it if he'd let it | before the Australian Jockey Club Meeting

fall, Bell would have won the match; but at Randwick. During the voyage he became acquainted with Rose Thoreau, a member of a theatrical company going out to the colonies under engagement. She was a beautiful woman, some three or four years Geoff's senior, and had been on the stage ever since she was a child. She was now the leading star in the Strand Opera Company, one of the pets of the pubhe bolted into the Pavilien as the players | He, a spoiled child of the theatre-goers. Her rushed off, the field. Australia, thanks to Admirers were numerous, and more than one Geoff, had won by the narrow margin of Ititle had been offered her, but so far she had

declined to marry. During the voyage, Geoff engaged in an "outrageous flirtation" with her, at least they were hourse. He came out and waved | such was the opinion of most of the lady passengers. Many of whom, however, would have been only too glad to take her place. She liked Geoff: he amused her. He was different from the blase admirers who sent her beautiful bouquets, and offered her diamonds. As for Geoff, before they reached Sydney, he fancied he was over head and

ears in love with her. She had a splendid figure, dressed well, and knew how to captivate men. She soon found all about Geoff Lovett from one of the passengers who knew his father well. "He's the son of one of the richest men in Sydney, and he's a jolly nice fellow," was his remark. Rose Thoreau decided he was "a very nice fellow." That his father was rich was wekome news. Despite her various experiences, and the constant slege laid to her, she had never really been in love until she met Gooff. At first, she was annoyed to think he had more influence over her than she had experlenced so far. Something about him fascinated her; he was clean and wholesome in mind as well as body, and this was new to her. Rich men had faid their fortunes at her feet, but not their hearts. She knew if Geoff admired her, it was with an entirely different

"Our beauty's hit hard at last," said Florence Hayton, the brilliant dancer, who almost hated Rose Thoreau, and was invariably very sweet to her.

"Rose knows her way about," laughed the Manager, "She's not likely to fall in love \_with-a-boy-\*\* (Continued on Page 7.)

BY APPOINTMENT



To H.M. THE KING.

praise ot LEMCO

Home-made beef tea is neither so strong, so free from fat nor so digestible as Lemco; that is why Medical men prescribe Lemco-for-their patients.

Home-made beef tea often disagrees; Lemco can be assimilated with ease and benefit; home-made beef tea takes hours to prepare, Lemco is ready in a minute; home-made beef tea varies in quality, Lemco is constant.

LERUO, Thames House, London, E.C.

If you prefer a tasteless whisky don't ask for

# WANTIKE 12

It will not suit you. But, if the mellow flavour of good old wholesome Scotch whisky appeals to you, you owe it to your palate to give Johnnie

" JOHNNIE WALKER" White Label. Over 6 years old.

Walker a trial.

"JOHNNIE WALKER" Red Label. Over 10 years old.

" JOHNNIE WALKER" Black Label. Over 12 years old. These ages are guaranteed and are absolutely safeguarded by the largest reserve stock of pure malt Scotch whisky held by any one firm. It is all the bona fide property of

John Walker & Sons, Ltd., Kilmarnock, Scotland,

SIEMSSEN & CO., Canton and Hong Kong.

To be obtained from :-KAMP & CO. Shaugh i. PERRIN COOPER & CO. Tientein. THE HANKOW DISPENSARY CO., LTD., Hankow.

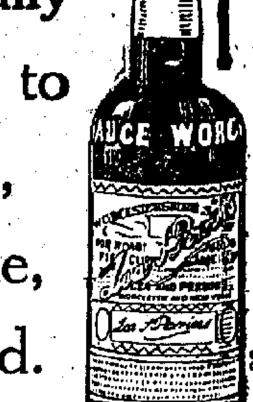


1098-27

# Id S SAUGE

The Original and Genuine WORCESTERSHIRE.

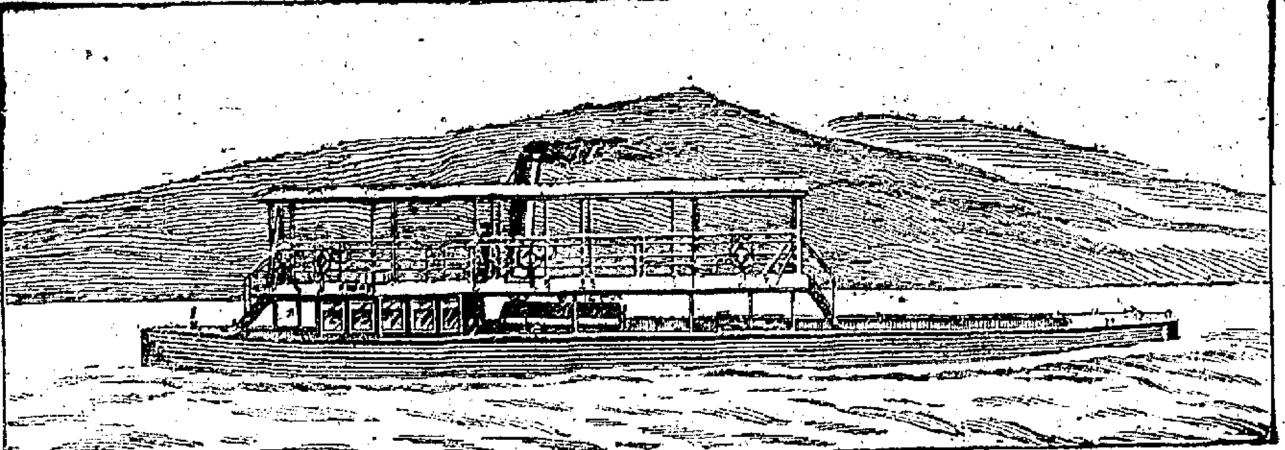
delightfully appetizing flavour to all Meat Dishes, Fish, Soup, Came, Cheese and



By Royal Warrent

to H.M. the King.

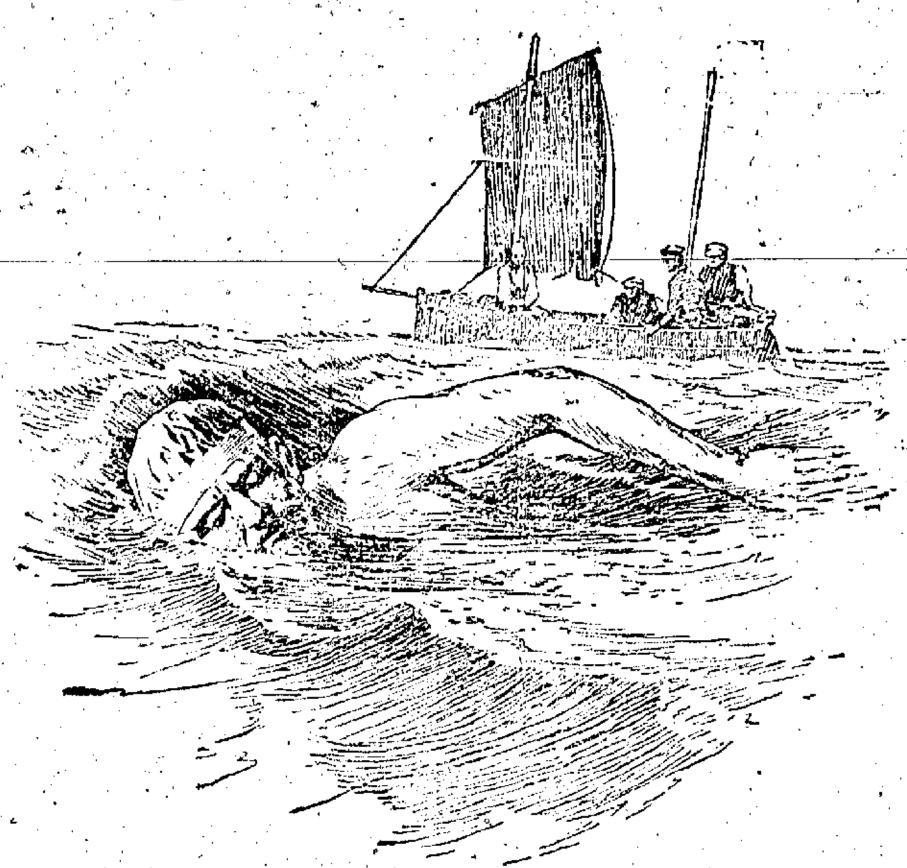
YARROW'S SHALLOW- STEAMERS.



TARROWS make a speciality of SHALLOW-DRAUGHT RIVER STEAMERS, either propolled by a STERN-WHEEL or by screws working in Tunnels, fitted with YARROW'S FATERIT- HINGED FLAP, by which means a considerable increase in speed is obtained without increase of cost. Vessels can be delivered whole, in pieces, or in floatable sections arranged so that they may be readily united while affoat.

Fon particulars apply to:-Formerly of YARROW & Co., Ltd., Shipbuilders, CLASCOW.

## The Great Channel Swim



## Burgess' Endurance and Vitality—

It is the big success, the great deed itself, that proves the wisdom of Burgess in employing Phosferine to provide the endurance and energy which enabled him to swim the Channel. To Phosferine the mighty Yorkshireman owes it that he has achieved more than any other living man, for on this historic occasion he used Phosferine to prepare for his daring and thrilling 23 hours' swim! Comparing his triumph with his previous failures, Burgess declares that the unlimited nerve force derived from Phosferine surnished the endurance to finish his swim successfully this time. Obviously Phosferine was the making of Burgess' great deed, and alike with other innumerable victors who have achieved renown by the invigorating aid of Phosferine, he frankly declares that Phosferine alone provides the force and vitality necessary for continuous mental and physical exertion.

#### How he made success sure.

Mr. T. W. Burgess, 30, Dover Road, Walmer, Deal, writes:-"I am very pleased to place on record my keen appreciation of Phosferine as a nerve and muscle tonic of the highest order. I have proved from experience the unfailing efficacy of this admirable remedy, and in preparing for this special demand upon my energies, it has been of incalculable benefit to me, and its recuperative effects immediately after my successful Channel Swim were excellent. Its sustaining and strengthening properties are very marked, and for nervous breakdown and feats of physical endurance I consider Phosferine is indispensable." Sept. 7, 1911.

THE GREATEST OF ALL A PROYEN REMEDY FOR

Rervous Debility Influenza Indigestion Bleoplessmass

Nouralgia. Maternity Weakness Premaure Decay Mental Exhaustion

Lassitude Reuritis Faintners Brain-Fag and all disorders consequent upon a reduced state of the nervous system.

Backache Rheumätiem Headacha Hysteria

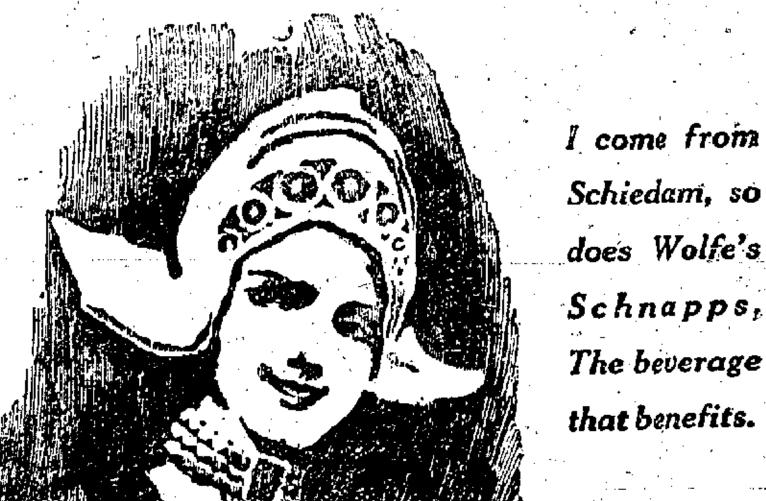
To the British Royal Family H.I.M. the Empress of Bussia

Phospirine has been supplied by Royal Commands H.M. the Queen of Spain H.I M. the Dowager Empress of Russia H.I II. the Grand Duchess Olga of Russia. HRH. the Grand Duchess of Hesse

H.M. the King of Greece The Imperial Family of China H.M. the Queen of Roumania ... And the Principal Royalty and Aristocracy throughout the world. Price in Great Ivitain: Bottles, 1/13, 2/9 & 4/6. Sold by all Chemists, Stores, &c.,

The 2/9 Size contains nearly four times the 1/1; size.

PROPRIETORS - ASSTON & PARSONS, ETD., LONDON, ENGLAND.



I come from Schiedam, so does Wolfe's Schnapps, The beverage

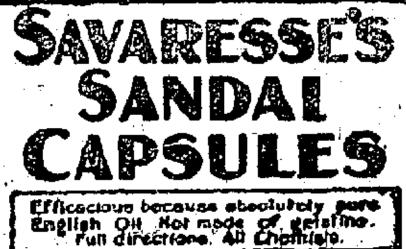
## WOLFE'S Schnapps. Aromatic Schiedam

A Refreshing and Exhilarating Drink and valuable Medicinal Beverage in all cases of Malaria, Gravel, Insomnia, Kidney Troubles, Stone in Bladder, Urninary Affections, Colic, Debility, Stomachic Troubles, Diarrhœa, &c.

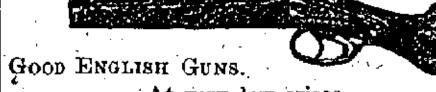
A glass of Wolfe's Schnapps before meals is an unfailing: appetiser, and a refreshing drink and pick-me-up at all times.

MacEwen, Frickel & Co.,

Hong Kong, Canton, Macao, Swatow and Amoy.



Insist on SAVARESSE'S



At very low prices. Our Model No. 620 far-killing HAMMER-LESS. GUN is the best value in the world 12, 16 or 20 bore, Price £5.5.0. All Sportsmen

> 9. Leander Road. Thornton Heath, LONDON, ENG.

G. JAMES & REYNOLDS,

should send for cathlogue, post free on applica-

#### GOOD AT THE GAME.

NAT GOULD.

(Author of "The Pace that Kills," "The Roar of the Ring," etc.)

(Continued from Page 6.)

" He's a very nice boy, and full grown that boy knows a lot," said Florrie. The Strand Company left the boat at Melbourne. Geoff went ashore, too, spent a couple of days showing Rose Thoreau the

sights, and then went overland to Sydney. She saw him off at Spencer Street. It was reported she actually kissed thim, as he leaned out of the carriage window. It may have been true, or it may not; people say such things.

"I shall meet you in Sydney, Rose," be said. "I must introduce you to my father and sister. You'll like Susie."

"What a pretty name," said Rose, "But they will not like me. I'm in the profession. Won't that go against me?" "Not with the Governor," laughed Geoff.

From this Rose gathered that Lovett'seni-

or was probably an elderly admirer of stage beauties, but she made no comment. · Geoff was heartily welcomed hom?. His fame preceded him: glowing accounts of his play at the Oval in the final Test match

had been cabled out, and eagerly read. Edgar Unsworth was delighted beyond My boy's proved himself the best of the bunch," he said. "I wish I'd seen that last.

match at the Oyal. What a catch it must háve been.'' Geoff told him all about it and Edgar said, 'Nearly dropped it! Sakes alive, what a

difference it would have made." "All the difference," said "Gooff "We should have lost the rubber."

"Suppose you didn't fall in love Toyer there?" asked Edgar, smiling. Geoff hesitated, then said, "No, at least I don't think so, 'I met a deticed lot of pretty girls, and they were all very nice to me."

"Safety in numbers," said Edgar. ""Yes, that's about it. I liked some better than others."

\*\*But not one better than the rest ?" "Oh, shut up, old chap, don't quiz so." TH's only natural a good dooking fellow like you would be a favourite with the ladies, I say, Geoff—"

\*\*Well?\*\* What are the girls in the new Opera Company like? You came out in the same boat, Jolly lot, I suppose, usual sort?"

"Yes, the usual sort," said Geoff slowly. It had been delightful to make love to Rose Thoreau on the boat, and during the couple of days in Melbourne, but now he was at home, he saw it in another light. He knew very well his father would not countenance any flirtation with an actress. He was, however, still under the spell. Rose Thoreau's beauty appealed to him. He had half a dozen signed photographs of her, locked up in the desk in his bedroom: two of them were a little bit too much, for the governor to stand: Rose had not wished him to have them, but he had insisted. He had not mentioned her name to any of them. He wanted to see how the land lay. When the company came to Sydney, and they saw Rose Thoreau, it would be another matter, her beauty would take them all by storm. " "Your father has a good chance of win-

ning the Derby on Saturday," said Edgar, changing, the conversation. "With Copper King?" asked Geoff, eag-

· ''Yes, he's a wonderfully good coll. Lor once Bob Crisp and Ingree," said-Edgar

Bob Crisp was James Lovett's trainer. He

had been with him since Edgar Unsworth went to Richmond. "'I thought he'd turn out all right," said Gooff, who had ridden him in his work occa-

sionally at Randwick, as a two year old. \*That was the reason why I was so anxious to get back for the meeting. Who rides

"Lucas Gilpin," said Edgar. Geoff looked surprised as he said, "Then I suppose the Governor's made it up with

"Yes," said Edgar doubtfully. "You don't like the arrangement?"

"He's a good rider,"

"That's just it," said Edgar. "He's too good. You never can tell what he's up to in

a close finish." "He'll go straight enough now I should think. He had a narrow escape last time; it gave him a fright," said Geoff.

"I don't think he's quite, forgiven your father for hauling him up before the stewards," said Edgar slowly.

#### CHAPTER V.

On Derby Day, at Randwick, Goff met hosts of friends from various parts of the Colony, who congratulated him on his success with the Australian Eleven-"Come back in time to see Copper King win, I suppose?" said a well-known member

of the ring: "That's it, Joe. What do you think of his horses

chance?" "He's got Cherry to beat," answered Joë Button:

"Cherry!" exclaimed Geoff; "he must have improved a lot," "He has," said Joe,

The attendance was enormous, the enclosures were crowded, and there were few prettier girls than Susie Lovett present. Harry Burney thought she had never looked quite so charming. He was a young man who was rapidly making a name for himself as a barrister, and was spoken of as a likely candidate for Parliament at the next election, for one of the divisions of Sydney. He went to school with Geoff Lovett, and they had been friends ever since. His father had a small coach-building establishment in Pad- | dington, to which was attached a shoeing- people, say, smith's forge. Tim Burney was a well-known character in Sydney; at one time he had been regarded as the best smith in the district, and his services at race-meetings were always in demand. He was a self-made man, and his education had been neglected, but this he had remedied as far as Jay in his power. It was to his credit that he spared nothing to give his only son Harry better advantages than he had received in this direc-

tion. Most people thought Tim Burney was educating his son above his station. They said it would have been far better to apprentice him to his trade. What chance could be have at the bar? Even if he succeeded in passing his examinations he would not be likely to get many briefs.

"Gas away," said Tim, when a friend remonstrated with him on his folly; "apprentice him to my trade? I'm not quite such a fool. What with motors and other things there'll soon be nothing left for carriage-

"You've got a good business, and there's no one else to carry it on." -"I'm not done with yet. Mind your own affairs," was Tim's retort.

Harry Burney did not turn out a failure,

he was a decided success. He worked hard at his studies, and, as a full-fledged harrister soon became popular and quickly made his way: No less a person than the Attorney-Gentral said Harry Burney would rise to the top in his profession. He had a remarkably. clear, penetrating, persuasive voice, and grasped the main points in a case rapidly. Although under thirty, he was considered one of the best cross-examiners at the bar, He joined a debating society and his eloquence was acknowledged. Then he went on to platforms as a public speaker, and soon attracted the notice of the leading politicians in the division of which Paddington was the centre.

Tim Burney was very proud of his son's. success. When Harry offered to repay him the money he had spent on his education, his father said:

"Keep sit," my lad. When I'm too old to work I don't mind accepting a trifle from you, if you can afford it. You'll get married and have a family. You'll want all you earn

Harry made no remark, to this, but but by sum every year which he intended for his father's benefit later on. He knew what Timwas: money always slipped through his fingers, and the attractions of the raccourse and an occasional flutter were too much for

Tim did not attend to horses' on racecourses now, but he could not help looking... on when plates were removed or put on, and making audible comments which sometimes roused the ire of the smiths.

" Better try your hand at it," said one. " If I couldn't make a neater job of it than you've done, I'd not shew my face on a rarecourse again," said Tim.

" Say, Harry," said Tim, " Miss Lovett looks spanking. She's a bonnie gigl-Wonder how it came about that Jim Lovett Tim.' had such a daughter." Harry laughed as he said:

"You're not partial to Mr. Loyett : he's not such a bad sort when you understand him again." "You're wrong," said Tim; " he doesn't Lovett. seem a bad sort, when you don't understand

him; when you do, it's different." Gottf came up, and as Harry had not seen? him since his return, he gave him a hearty.

"! Glad to see you home again," he said. We are all proud of your success." "I expect you thought I was going to be a failure when the news of the first matches

rame through." "I thought you'd settle down and come out well in the end, which you did," said

Susie Lövett joined them. She, had a friend with her, and Tim quietly slipped

quarter," he muttered; " old Jim'll never | say he'll be the next member for l'addingstand it; he thinks himself a big swell nowadays, but I've seen the time when he was glad of a job. Some day I'll remind him that I gave him a lift when his pockets were empty. He seems to have forgotten

Harry walked away with Susic and her combanion. Gooff went among the bookmakers to back Copper King for a few [

James Lovett-had attempted to win the and he consents," said Tim-Derby more than once, but he was confident | Bob Crisp assured him it was well nigh | hint that I don't core for him to be seen too impossible to lose if the colt ran up to his often with my daughter," said Lovett, mov-

The bookmakers, however, were inclined to field against him, and Cherry was quite as good a favourite, if not better.

"James Lovett put several hundreds on Copper King at ten to one; occasionally he self, and I reckon Harry'll give him his got half a point more. His experience in change." the ways of the furf told him his colt ought to be firmer in the betting. Was there anything wrong? Was Lucas Giloin going to throw him over 2. He thought not. Gilpin had received a warning he was not likely to-forgot. If the bookmakers were relying on the jockey, they were wrong for

Lucas came across the paddock, wearing tlic scarlet jacket and black cap, and Lovet

beckoned Jiim. "Can't make it out. Copper King going back a bit," he said. " A-lot of people fancy Cherry," said the

" Do you?" "He's the danger. Toe Button's stand

" How do you know." " A friend of his told me."

"Crisp thinks he'll win," he said.

" So do I." "Copper King's a stayer. You must make

the most of him. "If the pace is slow at the start I'll steal a murch on them; he likes going to the

"That's where he's different from most ". Bub doesn't like the idea of making the.

running under any circumstances." " Soniething must make the pace." " That's what I told him. Six remners, and I don't think anything outside yours,

Cherry and Nigger has a chance," said "The best way will be to leave it to you. I'll tell Bob that," said Loyett,

" Some people think I'm wrong in putling you up," said Loyett.

Lucas scowled as he said: "You don't suppose I'm going to do anything wrong?" " No. I am sure you are not."

." Then it matters very little to me what As Jim Lovett walked towards the shed: where Copper King stood ready saddled, he

saw Harry Burney with his daughter. The sight did not please him. He had no intention of allowing Susie to become too intimate with old Tim Burney's son. "I must speak seriously to her about it."

he thought: " she is often in his company. He almost ran into Tim Burney as he "You're in a hurry," said Tim; " is your

fellow going to win2" "I hope so," said Loyett shortly. " He's a good looking colt. "

"Glad you like him." " I like the colt better than the jockey." What's the matter with Lucas?"

# Don't Triffe With a Cough! Cure it Now.

There is positively nothing equal to Angier's Emulsion for coughs, bronchitis and all lung affections. By its peculiar soothing and healing effects it stops the cough, allays soreness and inflammation, improves the breathing, and makes expectoration easy. At the same time it keeps the digestive organs in a healthy condition and acts as a tonic to the entire system, One day's trial will convince you of its soothing, cough allaying, lung-healing power.

PRAISE FROM A DOCTOR.

Dear Sirs,-I find Angier's Emulsion especially valuable in chronic bronchitis, and I have no less than seven patients who are at present using it with very marked benefit. In two cases, accompanied with asthma, the effect is very marked indeed. Thave observed recently that the stomach can continue to take, Angier's Emulsion almost indefinitely without any bal effects, hence I have had patients who were taking other emulsions abandon them in favour of yours. I know of no other preparation from which such excellent, permanent results have been obtained.3

(Signed) - L.F.P.S. Glas & L.M. THE ANGIER CHEMICAL CO. Lt., 88 Clorkonwoll Rd., London, Eng.

" Nothing that I know of, but he's un-

" You always were a suspicious beggar, " Not a bit, of it. Suspicion is not in my Tine, but if a jockey let me in, as he did you over that Dutchy case, I'd be slow to trust

Lovett laughed as he said,

said Tim slyly.

" He's explained all that to me," said "There's my son with your daughter,"

" So I see. "They're a handsome couple."

" He's not much like you, Tim," said " By Gad, he's not, thank the stars for it. He's had more changes than I ever had, or

you either, James Lovett," said Tim. " What chances I had I seem to have made better use of than you. " Luck, pure luck," said Tim, "you always were a lucky man."

" Judgment; good judgment, not luck," I snapped Lovett. " Well, mivfad's grown up to be the equal-"It's no use Harry fooling about in that of anyone," said Tim proudly. "They do !

> "Will be?" said Lovett. " Ldoubt it." " There's no better man."

" I've been asked to stand for that division," said Lovett.

" Have you now? That's bad for you." " Whe for me?"

" Because Harry's a much better speaker than you are. He's younger, more popular, and hell beat you if they ask him to put up, "We shall see when the time comes. doing so this time with Copper. King. Meanwhile you might give him a friendly

> Well, I'm blowed!!" said Tim checking himself. "My son's good enough for his daughter or any other man's daughter. He'll have to do that bit of business him-

## (To be Conlinued.)

FOR THE CHILDREN'S SAKE A GRATEFUL FATHER IN RANGOON TELLS How DR. WILLIAMS' PINK PILLS SAVED HIS LITTLE DAUGHTER.

The history of little Daisy Brown, aged five nd a half years, the daughter of Mr. C. Brown, f Rangoon, affords an excellent example of the urative value of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to hildren. Mr. Brown, who holds a responsible position with Messrs. Bullock Bros. and Co.,

Ltd., said — "Until my little daughter Daisy was a year old she was a model baby, but shortly after her first birthday her health fell away, the food which she had hithorto thrived on failed to nourish her, and she became fretful and alarm-

ingly weak Formerly she had had good nights, but now her sleep was disturbed, and she often awaks screaming with fright. Nothing could pacify her after that for a long time.

" At first we ascribed her ill health to teeth ing, but as the usual treatment in such cases failed to soothe her, we consulted a specialist, who told us Daisy's illness was DUE TO MALNUTRITION.

"He of course prescribed for her, and his medicine certainly improved her appetite; but strength failed to return, and we saw with alarm her young life fading away. "This was not all the poor child was doomed to suffer, for shortly after an GATTACK OF MALARIA

brought her almost to death's door. "To cut a long story short, after the child's life had hung on the balance for eighteen months, "Thanks. I wish you would," said the and the doctors had practically told me that ALMOST SURE TO DIE, it occurred to me that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills

for Pale People might benefit her here. I questioned the doctor about this medicine and upon his advice tried it. Drisy received a quarter of a Pill at a dose, and with the second bottle her nights were much better, and she was less fretful during the day. This inspired us with hope, and as a further reward for our perseverance with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills she began to eat better and to enjoy her food.

"By Jegrees the famous Pills cleared Daisy's system of all the Malaria, her eyes became bright and sparkling, her spirits returned. She is NOW QUITE WELL

and enjoys herself at all sorts of childish pranks

and games. My wife and I cannot too highly praise Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for the great benefit our daughter has derived from their uso." Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale Peoplesee the full name on the wrapper and take no other-to be had from most medicine dealers, also from the Office of the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., 48, Szechuan Road, Shanghai, 1 bottle for \$1.50 (Mex.), 6 bottles for \$8 (Mex.)

Post-free.

Chemists.

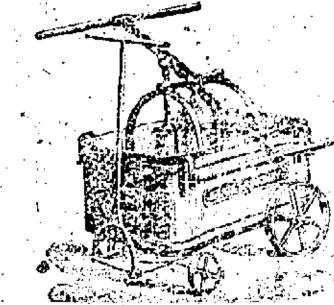
JOHN JAMESON'S WHISKEY unequalled for flavour and purity.
Guaranteed to be

#### PURE POT STILL WHISKEY

Famous for over 100 years. John Jameson & Sons, Ltd., Dublin.

Distillers to H.M. The King.

#### MERRYWEATHERS' "UNIVERSAL" HAND-POWER PUMP With Motallic Body and Gun-metal Pump.

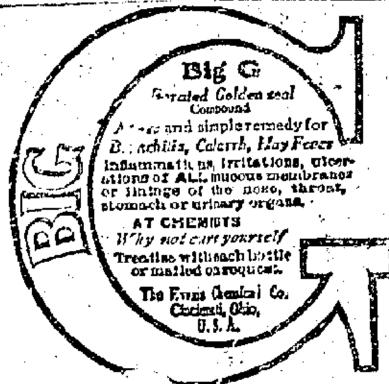


For Fire Protection, Watering Plantations, Emptying Ponds, Draining Land, Pumping Liquid Manure, Ceneral Pumping Purpoces, &c. Strongly meds and nothly to getout of priter.

Ask for Illustrated Li t 879 v. MAKERS 'OF EVERY DESCRIPTION OF PUMPING MACHINERY. MERRYWEATHER & SONS.

63, Long Acre, W.C., London.







Paris-France.

\$115,00 122.50 "WITH DOG AND GUN IN THE NEW TERRITORY."

,... G.40

2 Sungei Bagan ... 0.721

2 Trafolgur ... J. 0.65

1 United Malacca ... 0.50

10 St. Helena ...

, 5 Teluk Anson

1. Uin Pandan

1 Tambaak

-0.80

EING the Series of Articles recently. contributed to the "HONGKONG DAILY PRESS" by "Sportsman," reproduced in book

PRICE ONE DOLLAR Hongkong, 29th October, 1910

SHANGHAI SHARE QUOTATIONS On 29 TH DECEMBER, 1911. [J. P. Bisser & Co.'s List.] PAID UP QUOTATION

COMPANY.

Banks.—		e de la companya de l
Hongkong & S'hai	\$125	190, anles
Insurance:  Union Society C't in  North-China  Yangtsza Assocn,  Canton  Hongkong Fire	£5 \$60 \$50 \$50	\$830, sales Tla_160 \$2124; buyers \$1874, sales \$355, sales \$125
China Fire	. PAU	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1

£10 Tls. 44, buyers Indo - China { Prodef 21 \ 283/-, Sollers Shell Trans. ford & Trading { pref. } £10 £11.0.0, nom.
Shai Tug & pref. } or T2n
Lighter ... { ord } .T5! Tls. 14. Kochion Transportation & Tow-Boat

Tis. 25, sellers Docks & Wharves:---T100 Tls. 57 \$50 Tls. 484, tellers S'hai Dock & Eng... H. & W. Dock ..... T100 Tls. 89, sales S. & H'kew Wharf... \$50 \$481, buyers H. K'loon W. & G ... T100 Tls. 130, sollers Yangtazo ..... Mining : --

gi | Tla. 18, sellers Chineso Eng. & Min. Phi ppine Explition G \$5 714. 21 Lands:-T50 Tls. 93, sal. & S'hai Investment... . \$100 | \$104, sollers H'kong Investment T10 | \$74, sellers Humphreys' Estate T20 Tls. 41 Weihoiwei..... T15, 50, nom. T100 The 961 Angle-French ...... Plantations:-Ths. 7, sellers 'Alma Estates, Ld... Avor Tawah Rubber Tlo Tla. 13, sollors · Pation Co., Ld... Tls. 10, sellers Chempedak ..... Tla, 214, sollers Dominion Rubbers. Tls. 11.90, buy, .Kalumpong Rubber K. Java Pation, Ld. Tla, 54, buyers

Tis. 19, sales Senawang R'ber ... Shanghai - Sumatra Tls. 924, buyers Tobacco ,.... T20.Ths. 114, sollers T. R. & T. Estate Co. Cottons, etc:--Tls, 83 🕝 Ewo ..... Tla 51, sollers, Internationals ..... T100 Tis. 65, sellers. Laou Kung Mow ... Tla. 28, sellers  $.\mathbf{T}50^{-1}$ Soy Chees ..... T50 Tls. 56, sellers Shanghni Cotton .. Industrial:— A. Butler Cement,

760 | Tls. 23, buyers Tile Works ...... \$74, buyera Anglo-Ger. Brewery: Tls. 17, sellers China Flour Mill ... China Im. & Ex. Tls. 76, sales Lumbor ..... \$105, sellers C. Sugar Refining... \$10 | \$3.85, buyers Green Is, Coment .... Maatschappij, &c., Tls. 66}, sa. & sol.  $\mathbf{G}_{2}.10$ in Langkat...... Tla. 26, sellers Major Brothers .....

Scharff's Oil & Bone TIs. — Too Mills, Ld. Shanghai Electric £10 Tls. ---Construction ..... Shanghai Electric & \$45 | \$21, sellers Ashestos ..... Tio. Tls. 101 Shanghai Gaa ..... T25 Tls. 16. sellers Shanghai Ico..... Time Tis. 8, sellers S'hai Puip & Paper £20 | Tls. 360, sales S'hai Waterworks...

Stores.-\$171, buyers Hall & Holtz ..... ่ \$55, sales J. Llewellyn ...... \$10 | \$53, buyers A. S. Watson & Co. Central Ordinary ... **§**15 ] **\$**8 Central Foundars ...: \$20, sellera S. Moutrie & Co. ... Weeks & Co. ..... \$100 \$110, buyers Lane, Crawford&Co. \$50 \$20, sales Dunning & Co. ..... Astor House Hotel. \$25 | \$11 sellers Hotel des Colonies T1250 Tls. -

AS SUPPLIED TO THE HOUSE OF LORDS AND HOUSE OF COMMONS

OLD VAT

No. 4.

This vat was started by the late Robert Thorn of Greenock and has been sold as No. 4 since 1831

#### WHISKY

SOLE AGENTS IN

Hongkong, China & Manila

A. S. WATSON & Co., LTD.

CHILDREN OF FAR CATHAY

A SOCIAL AND POLITICAL NOVEL OF ABSORBING INTEREST, By CHAS. J. HALCOMBE

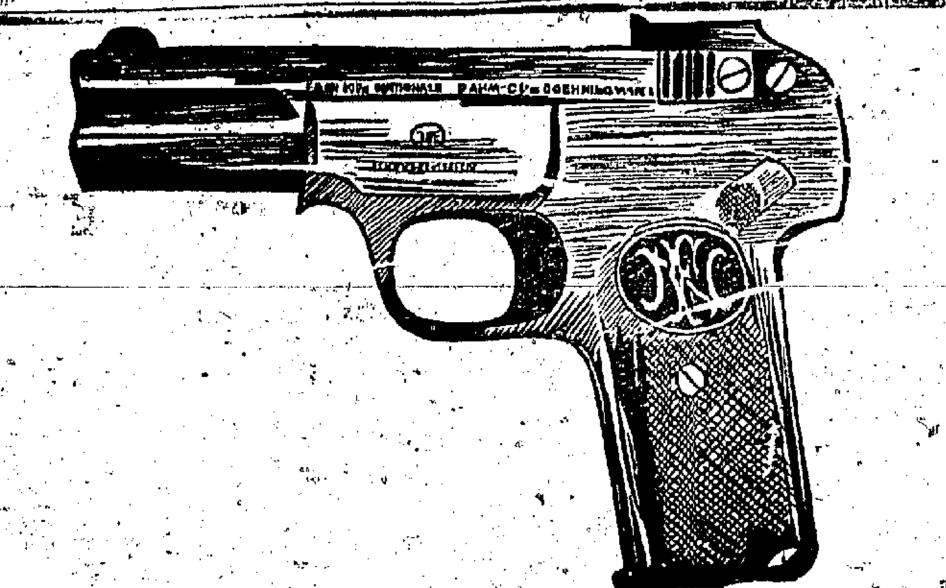
Service, Author of "The Mystic Flowery Land," etc.).

THE VOLUME which consists of 166 Pages, and includes a Sketch Plan of historical interest showing the disposition of the Forces at the battle of Kweilin, is dedicated to Sir ROBERT HART, G.C.M.G., and Dr. A

RENNIE. Its description of Chinese Social Customs and Superstitions, combined with the insight it gives into political conditions in China, maker "CHILDREN OF FAR CATHAT" an excellent volume for presentation to friends at Home. Well bound in Yellow Cloth with Chinese Emblem in Gold.

... ... \$3.50

To be obtained from Messrs. KELLY & WALSH, LTD., Messes. Brewer & Co., or from the Printers and Publishers, the "Hongsone DAILY PRESS "Office



INTIMATION

"Browning," 8 shots in 2 seconds, and ammunition to fit.! Automatic Pocket Pistol

SIEMSSEN & Co.,

FROM EUROPE.

FINE H.A.L. Stehmship

Captain Keuss, having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the hazardous and for extra-hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowleen Wharfand Godown Co., Ltd., whence delivery may be obtained against Bills-of-Lading countersigned by the Undersigned,

Optional Cargo will be carried on unless notice to the contrary be given To-DAY. All Claims must be presented within ten days of the steamer's arrival here, after which date

they cannot be recognized. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 8th inst. will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged goods mus be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 8th inst., at 9.30 a.M. No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.

This Steamer brings on Cargo : Ex s.s. "Soneck" from Setubal. Ex s.s. " Fraus " from Abus. HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE, Hongkong Office. Hongkong, 2nd January, 1912.

MEN-OF-WAR ON THE CHINA AND JAPAN STATION.

Alacrity, despatch-best, 700 tons, 4 guns, 2,000 i.h.p., Comdr. A. Lowndes, Hankow. Astrea, 2nd class cruiser, 4,360 lons, 10 guns, 7,000 · i.l.p., Captain E. B. Kiddle, Hongkong.

Atlas, admiralty tug, 615 tons, 1,400 i.h.p., Hongkong. Bramble, gunboat 710 tons, 900 i.h.p. Lieut. Comdr. B. G. Washington, Kiukiang. Britomart, gunboat, 710 tons, 900 h.p., Lieut. Condr. J. M. Barker, Hankow.

Cadmus, British sloop, 1,070 tons, i.h.p. 1,400, f.d., Captain H. Lynes, Hankow. Cherub, water tank and tug, 390 tons, i.b.p. 340, Master W. Smith, Hongkong. Clio, British sloop, 1,070 tons, i.h.p. 1,400,, Comdr. H. R. Veale, Canton.

Fame, tornedo-hont destroyer, 340 tons, guns, 5,700 i.h.p., Lt.-Comdr. H. S. Monree, Foochow. Flora, 2nd class cruiser, 4,360 tens, 10 guns. 7,000 i.h.p., Captain C. F. Corbett, M.V.O.,

Shanghai. Handy, torpedo boat destroyer 295 tons, 6 guns, Rev. J. Cargill 4.000 h.p., Lieut.-Comdr. R. R. Rosoman, Janus, torpedo-boat destroyer, 320 tons, 6 guns,

3.900 h.p., Lieut. Comdr. R. B. England, Kent, armoured cruiser, 9,800 tons, 14 guns,

i.h.p. 22,000, Capt. Allen T. Hunt, en route to Hougkong. Kinsha, river gunboat, 616 tons, i.h.p. 1,200, Lieut. Comdr. H. Marryat, Hankow. Merlin, surveying ship, 1,070, tons, 6 guns, 1,400

i.h.p. Commr. B. O. M. Davy, Hongkong. Minotaur, armoured cruiser (flugship Vice-Admiral Sir A. L. Winsloe, K.C.B., C.V.O., C.M.G.,) 14,600, tons, i.h.p. 27,000 Capt. G. C. Cayley, Hongkong.

Monmouth, armoured cruiser, 9,800 tons, i.h.p. 22,000, Captain L. E. Power, M.V.O., Mr & Mrs A. B. Giles Hongkong. Moorhen, river gunboat, 180 tons, 2 guns, Mr & Mrs Joseph Gould Lieut. Comdr G. P. Leith, Mr C. A. Graham

West River. Newcastle, 2nd class cruiser, 4,800 tons, turbine, Mr E. Guttentar Captain George P. E. Hunt, D.S.O., Nanking.

Nightingale, river gunboat, 85 tons, 240 h.p. Lt.-Comdr. Malcolm Murray, R.N., Yang-Otter, torpedo-boat destroyer, 385 tons, 6 guns 6,300 i.h.p., Comdr. Lambe, Nanking.

Bobin, river gunboat, 85 tons, 2 guns, 240 h.p., Lt. Comdr. J. S. Tyndail, West River. Rosario, depot ship for Submarines, 980 tons, Mr & Mrs P. S. Hogge i.h.p. 1,400, Lt. Commr. N. E. Archdale, Dr S. Hough

Sandpiper, river gunboat, 85 tons, 2 guns, 24 | Mr &Mrs E. L. Hurtado h.p., Lieut.-Comdr. E. J. J. Southby Capt. R. Innes West River Snipe, river gunboat, 85 tons, 2 guns 240 h.p.. Lt.-Comdr. Maurice B. Leslie, Shanghai.

Taku, torpedo boat destroyer, 305 tons, i.b.p. Mr M. A. Jereph 6,000, Lt. Commr. Morgen Tindal, Hong. Capt E. J. Kerr Tamar, receiving ship, 4,650 tons, 6 guns Commodore Eyres, Hongkong.

Teal, river gunboat, 180.tons, 2 guns, 800 i.b.p Lient.-Comdr. Hon. Guy Stopford, Chung-. kiang. (Formerly of the Imperial Chinese Customs Thistle, gunboat, 710 tons, 900 h.p., Lieut. Mr & Mrs G. D.Lundy Miss Wynne Comdr. M. B. Baillie-Hamilton, Hankow. Virago, torpedo-boat destroyer, 395 tons, 6 guns | Mr & Mrs F, Maitland

> Hail, Amoy. Waterwitch, surveying ship, 520 tons, 450 i.h.p. Liout.-Comdr. R. L. Hancock, Hongkong. Whiting, torpedo-boat destroyer, 360 tons, ; guns, 5,900 hp., Lieut.Comdr. G. B. Hartford, Yangteze.

6.300 i.h.p., Lieut. Comdr. Harold D. Adair Dr. O. Marriott

Widgeon, gunboat 195 tons, 2 guns, 200 h.r. Comdr. M. H. Wilding, Kiating. Woodcock, gunboat, 150 tons, 2 gans, 550 h.r. Lieut. Comdr. M. B. R. Blackwood, Yang

Woodlark, gunbert, 150 tons, 2 guns, 550 h.j. Lieut.-Comdr. G. F. A. Mulcik, Hankow. Submarines :-No. 36. Godfrey Herbert, Lieut,-Commr. No. 37, A. A. L. Fenner, Lieut.-Commr. No. 38, J. R. A. Codrington, Lt.-Commr. T.B. 035, Lt.-Com. Notley, to West River.

T.B. 037, Lt. Com. Garnier, to West, River.

T.B. 038, Lt.- Com. Palliser, to Hongkong.

Mr Brener Mr F. Eruten Mr Chas. Bury Mr. & Mrs C. W. Brett Mr A. A. Cook Airs D. G. Cowan. Mr & Mrs A, B, Crew Mr D. R. Davis Mr E. Dauter Mr J. Elphirstone Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Evans Mr Chas. S. Fowler T.B. 036. Lt. Com. Davies, to West River.

Mr & Mrs H. M. Hall

Miss Malgard

Mr W. Arnold

Mr F. L. Bater

Mr S. Bellinger

Mr Genzer

(MACHINERY DEPT.), HONGKONG.

DARLINGTON'S HANDBOOK.

" Sir Henry Ponson by is commanded by the Queen to thank " Mr. Darlington for copy of his

" Nothing better could be wished for."-British Weekly. "Far superior to ordinary guides. -

Visitors to London should use

DARLINGTON'S LONDON "A brilliant book."—The Times
"Particularly good."—Academy BY E. C. COOK and Enlarged Edition AND E. T. COOK, M.A.

24 Maps and Plans, 60 Illustrations. 60 Illustrations, NORTH WALES. 10 Maps 5s.

DEVON AND 80 Illustrations. 12 Maps; 5s.: CORNWALL

Visitors to Brighton, Eastbourne Hastings Bournemouth, Wyo Valley, Severn Valley Bath, Woston super-mare, Malvern, Hereford Worcester, Gloucester, Llandrinod Wells Llangollen, Aberystwyth, Towyn, Barmouth Harloch, Criceieth, Pwliheli, Llandudno Rhyl, Bettws-y-coed, Isle of Wight and Chamel Islands should send for DARLINGTON'S HANDBOOKS Is, each. 1s. THE HOTELS OF THE WORLD A Handbook to the leading Hotels throughout the World.

TANGOLLEN: DARLINGTON & Co. LONDON: SIMPKIN & Co.

#### VISITORS AT HOTELS.

HONGRONG HOTEL. Mr & Mrs J, T, W Dr & Mrs M. S. Avers Mr F. Baler Marshall Mr&Mrs A. M. Faldwin Mr G. Martini Mr & Mrs F, E, Mr E, R. Bates Mr C. Becker McHugh Mr J. Pernis Dr. G. W. McKenn Mr A, W. J. Bottomley Mr & Mrs H. Van Mr & Mrs J. N. Brice N eines and child Mr F. V. Mitchelmore and avalu Mr S. H. Brown 📜 -Dr Momm Mr & Mrs O. Brown Miss Mo re Mr & Mrs G. Mrs K. C Mooers Buckingham Mr P. H. Nyo Capt & Mrs F. D. North. Mr F. Bumann comba Mr G. B. de Chalenedes Mr V. d'Oeitingen Mr. P.T. Chi vors Mr II W Page Mr. W. E. Clarko Mr & Mrs H. J. Parlett

Mr I. de Conde Dr & Mis W Pearsa Mr & Mrs Pearson Mr W. C. Drew Mrs W. J Peters Mr E. J. W. Eames Mr A. F. Fearon Col. W. Plomer Mr. E H. Ray Mr. H. G. Fisher Mr J. Forrester Mr E M. Raymond Mrs J. Forthman and Miss F. Reav Mr J. R. Redfern Mr & Mrs A. E. Ronald Mr Denman Fuller Mr A. A. Fyfo Mr C. H. Rose Mr. Mrs P. Samet Mr I. M. Gargollo Mr H. Garrow Mr H. Sawtell Mr R. Gaubert Dr Schuster Mr J. Scotson Mr F. C. Gay Mr. A. Shelton Hooper Mr L. J. Gilbertton Mr J. C. Sibley Mr & Mrs P. Early Mr. V. Goulboum, Smith Miss P. Early Smith Mr P. Early Smith Mr R. J. Grimslaw Mr E. E. Smith Mr H. H. Solomon Mr John Hair Dr & Mrs A. D. Spalding and infant Miss W. Square

Mr & Mrs B. A. Hale Capt. T. P. Hall Mr W. J. Hamilton Mr & Mrs W. A. Hanni-Capt H. Spear Mr J. Spittles Mr F. J. Hardiner Lt. & Mrs C. E. Stainer, Mr A. Harrison Mr & Mrs 7. F. Stanley Hon & Mrs W. Hewett Mr P. D. Sutherland Mr H. Hupeden

Mr H. P. Thomas Mrs T. B. Tolman and **ch**ild Mr K. Uyemura Mr & Mrs E. Vollbrecht Mr&Mra J. R. Johnston Mr. E. J. Warren Mr E. M. Joseph Mr E. J. Waterman l Mr R. M. Joseph Mrs Walson and infant Capt W. de C. Wetherell Mr & Mts H. L. H. Dr Klose Mr W. B. Knapp Mr C. II. V. Wilson Dr D. C. Kretzer Mr & Mrs H. A. Lamp-Miss Wolfson Mr G. G. Wood. Mr B. Lemaitre Mr G. T. Lloyd:

Mr & Mrs J. N. Wolfson Dr A. Worster -Mr & Mrs L. Young-

GRAND HOTEL. Mr & Mrs G. Harris Mr Horbacz Mr B. James Capt A. R. Johnston Dr. F. T. Keyt Mr. & Mrs. J. R. Kinghorn Mr F. P. Lenfestey Mr C. Lynam Mr C. N. Manhoff , Mr A. H. Nathan Mr W. MoInnes Nish Mr A. Slettengien Mr C. Tap Mr R. Taylor Miss Watling

Mr H Watkins

Miss Young

SHIPPING IN PORT.

STEÄMERS. ASAHI MARU, Japanese str., 2,825, Y. Nakawa, 4th Jan.—Dairen 29th Dec., Coal-Mitsui

Canada Maru, Japanese str., 6,063, K. Hori, 28th Dec.—Shanghai 25th Dec., General— Csaka Shosen Kaisha. CHIHLI, British str., 1,241, F. McGarity, 1st

January-Shanghai 23th Dec., General. Butterfield & Swire. CHINHUA, British str., 1,350, W. Bonson, 31st

Dec.—Shanghai 20th Dec., General— Butterfield & Swire. CHOYSANG, British str., 1,424, M. Courtney, 28th Dec.-Shanghai 24th and Swatow 27th Dec., General-Jardine, Matheson & Co. DAGNY, Norweglan str., 882, P. Solveson, 2nd Jan.-Hongay 30th Dec, Coal-Asgaard, Thoreson & Co.

DAIYA MARU, Japanese str., 2,701, K. Kobaya-shi, 27th Dec.-Wakamatsu 21st Dec., Coal-Mitsu Bishi Goshi Kaisha. DOVRE, Norwegian str., 733, Sigerland, 26th Dec, Nan Chan 25th Dec., General-Wo Yick & Co.

FAUSANG, British str., 1,410, H. S. Malkins, 26th Dec.—Hongay 24th Dec., Coal-Jardine, Matheson & Co. HANGSANG, British str., 1,356, S. Wilde, 2nd January-Shanghai 29th Dec, General-Jardine, Matheson & Co.

HARRY WADSWORTH, British str., 1,474, Guthrie, 1st Jan.—Singapore 26th Dec., Bulk oil—Asiatic Petroleum & Co. HONGKONG, French str., 709, A. Cornelensson, 4th Jan - Haiphong 31st Dec., General-

A. R. Marty. Hop Sang, British str., 1,359, J. H. Hay, I statistics of the Trade of each Country and Jardine, Matheson & Co.

HSIN CHANG, Chinese str., 1,258, F. Hamblin, 3rd Jan,-Shanghai 31st Dec., General-C. M. S. N. Co. HUICHOW, British str., 1,217, G. Hocker, 4th Jan.—Shanghai and Amoy 3rd January,

Butterfield & Swire. JOHANNE, German str., 952, M. Jpland, 4th Jan .- Haiphong and Hoihow 2nd Jan., Rice and General-Jebsen & Co. KAIFUKU MARU, Japacese str., 1,903, S. Suda,

3rd Jan .- Miike 28th Dec., Coal-Mitsui Bussan Kaisha. KIUKIANG, British str., 1,228, Robertson, 1st January-Ching Wan Tao 26th December, General-Butterfield & Swire. Korea, American str., 5,651, Wm. Fisher, 2nd

Mails and General - P. M. S.S. Co. LAISANG, British str., 2,225, E. J. Tadd, 2nd Jan - Calcutta 15th Dec., General -- Jardine. Matheson & Co. LOCKSUN, German str., 1,020, W. Taubert; 29th December-Pulo Laut 20th Dec.,

Jan. - San Francisco via ports 6th Dec.,

Coal-Butterfield & Swire. LOOSOK, German str., 1,014. G. Schultzen, 1st Jan, -Bangkok 24th Dec., Rice-Butterfield & Swire. PITSANULOR, German str., 1,267, D. Rieimers,

1st Jan.—Bangkok 23rd Dec.; General-Butterfield & Swire. PROMETHEUS, British str., 3,562, J. Williamson, 30th December - Shaughai 27th Dec. General - Butterfield & Swire. RAIABURI, German str., 1,904, C. Wolff, 1st

Jan.-Singapore 24th via Heihow 31st Dec., Iron - Butterfield & Swire. SHIBETORO MARY, Japanese str., 2,478, H. S. Kamolo, 28th Dec.-Moji 22nd Dec., Coal -Osaka Shosen Kaisha.

Smingking, British str., 1,534, Cowan, 3rd Jan - Chingwantao 29th Dec., General-Butterfield & Swire. TAISHUN, Chinese sir., 1,216, R. G. Paramore, 2nd Jan .- Shanghai 30th Dec. General-

C. M. S. N. Co. TIENTSIN, British str., 1,215, Jones, 2nd Jan. -Weilmiwei 28th Dec., General-Butterfield & Swire. THEAROEM. Datch str., 3,666, P. Zwart, 3rd

Jan.-Moji 29th Dec., General - Java-China-Japan Lijn. Uganda, British str., 2,783, W. B. Gow, 3rd Jan. Fremantle, W.A., 17th December, Sandalwood -- Jardine, Matheson & Co. Vestro p. Norwegian str., 1.175, Bertelsen,

29th December-Saigon 24th December. General-C. S. S. M. & Co. VARG, Norwegian str., 874, H. Braarud, 2nd Jan - Chefoo 27th Dec., Beans-Kin Lun. WAI SHING, Britishstr., 1,170, E. S. Holmwood 1st January-Dalny 27th Dec., Beans-

Jardine, Matheson & Co. WAKAM TSU MARY, Japanese str., 1,722, P Aikawa, 25th Dec .- Wakamatsu 19th Dec., Coal-Mitsu Bishi Goshi Kwaisha. YESAN MARU, Japanese str., 2,124, Yeriyo,

28th Dec.-Moji 22nd Dec., Coal-Mitsui Bussan Kaisha. YUENSANG, British str., 1,128, P. H. Rolfe, 1st Jan .- Manila 29th Dec. General-Jardine, Matheson & Co.

ATEST STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

The str. Skerries from Puget Sound left | that any name can be found instantly. Tacoma on the 1st instant for Hongkong and Manila via Japan Poris. The "Mogul"-Line str. Lennox left United Firms in Great Britain and are corrected and Kingdom on the 23rd ultimo for Hongkong bylanght up to date. They consist of the and Far East via the Straits.

at Yokohama on the 5th inst., and leaves there on the 7th inst. for Hongkong via usual ports PLAN OF YOROHAMA of call, and is expected to arrive here on or PLAN OF KORE AND HYOGO about the 19th inst.

PASSED THE CANAL.

December 1st-Dardanus, Canagawa Maru, LARGE PLAN OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA Nyanza, Siam, Silesia, Sumatra, Rioto. 5th- Plan of New Terrerony (Kowloos) Astyanax, Benlawers, Buclow, Canton, Inverclyde, Pakling, Pathan, Annam. 8th-Ajax. Candia, Kaga Mart. 12th-Carmarthenshire, Josepic, Molta, Tango Maru. 15th-Belgravia. Kaya Maru, Salsuma, Telemachus, Welsh Prince, Yorck. 19th-Ambria, Bendoran, Himalaya, Socotra. 22ud- Erroll, Goeben, Sachsen, Sydney, Protesilaus, Seneca 29th-Achilles, Antenor, Ceylon, Flintshire, Glamorganshire, Kamo Maru, Karonga, Namura, Nele, Derfflinger, Locates.

ARRIVALS AT HOME. January 2nd-Nereus, Alcinous.

KINGSOLESE PRIVATE HOTEL. Mr & Mrs W. Logan Mr. E. Arudt Mr E, J. McNulty Nr & Mrs Aucott Dr & Mrs G. D. R. Mr. K. S. Morrison. Mr&Mis A. B. Moulder Black Mr'A. Pellamy Brown and child Mr F. Pevington Dr. & Mrs B.W. Brown Sir Francis and Lady Piggott. Mrs Cook Comdr. & Mrs. A. Darley Mr J. Robertson Eng Lieut, & Mrs W. Mrs. G. Sachse Miss K. Sachre Dawson Mrs M. E. hearer Mr.&Mrs D. E. Dopnelly Mr. A L. Shields Mr & Mrs Flamagan Mr. R. D. Stewart Mr Geo. Grimble Mrs Tope Mr Hasl wood Mr. B. Webb Mr. & Mrs Hayes

Mr. H. Hoffman

Miss E. Kekowich

Mr Whyte

Mr. J. W. Wilson

IN PREPARATION

## DIRECTORY CHRONICLE 1912

JAPAN, COREA. CHINA, INDO-CHINA, SIAM, STRAITS SETTLEMENTS, MALAY STATES NETHERLANDS INDIA, PHILIP PINES, BORNEO, ETC.

The DIRECTORY covers the whole of Ac ports and cities of the Far East, from Nether-ands India to Siberia, in which Europeats reside, lands India to Siberia, in which Europeats reside,
Not only is the Directory as full and complete
in each case as it can be made, but each Colony,
Port, or Settlement is prefaced by a DESCRIES
TION, carefully revised each year, most of
which will serve as accurate Guides for THE
Tourist, giving every detail in connection with
the places, their History, Topography, etc., dec.
The Information in these Descriptions, coneigting of a hundred interesting articles, packed
with facts concisely set out, and containing with facts concisely set out, and containing 31st December - Hongay 28th Coal - Port, would alone suffice to fill a large volume. Royal Octavo-Complete with Fifteen Maps, and Plans, pp. 1,832, \$10.09. Directory only pp., 362, \$6.00.

The Directories and Descriptions are of

CHINA

Southow Peking Chinkiang.  $\mathbf{W}$ hampoa Tientsin: " Nanking Kowloon Peitaiho Wahu Lappa Chinwangtao Samshui Kewkiang Taku-Hankow Kongmoon Antung Yochow Nanning Manohurian Trade Centres Shasi Wuchowfu Kwangchauwan Ichang Newchwang Pakhoi Chungking Dairen Hoihow Port Arthur Hangchow Ningpo Lungchow Chefoo · Mongtze Wenchow Weihaiw'& Santu Hokow Kiaochau Foodhow Szemao Tsinanfu Amoy. Mukdon Shanghai Swatow JAPAN AND FORMOSA

Keelung Osaka Tokyo Moji Tainanfu Yokohama Nagasaki Takow Hyogo Hakodate Anping Kobo Shimonoseki Tamsui

EASTERN SIBERIA Nicojewsk Vladivostock

CHOSEN Mokpo Wonsan Chinnampo Fusun Chemulpo Songohin Pingyang Kunsan HONGKONG AND ITS DEPENDENCIES. MACAO.

FRENCH INDO-CHINA: Tourane Annam Hanoi Saigon f HueTonkin Provinces Quinhon Cambodge PHILIPPINES Hoile \*

Manila BORNEO British N. Borneo Labuan Sarawak -BANGKOK STRAITS SETTLEMENTS

Singapore, Penang, Malacca, Prov. Wellesley MALAY STATES Sungei Ujong Selanger Jelebu Perak Johore Pahang NETHERLANDS INDIA Padang Bamarang Batavia Sourabaia Macassar Buitenzorg

East Coast of Sumstra NAVAL SQUADRONS. Austrian Gorman British United States Japanese French Italian Siamese

OFFICERS OF COAST AND RIVER STRAMER. The Book is printed from New Type specially reserved for the purpose, and uniformity in every arrangement greatly accilitates reference. Besides the usual Alphabetical List of Firms, the Directory gir a the CLASSIFIED LISTS of TRADES at d ROFESSIONS, at the larger

Commercia: Gentres. ALPHABETICAL LIST of RESIDENT: contains the names of over

20,000 FOREICINERS, carefully arranged, with the Initials as well as he Surnames in strictly Alphabetical Order. THE MAPS AND PLANS

have been engraved by one of the most eminent The Great Northern str. Minnesota arrived Coloured Plane of Flage of Foreign Hone MAP OF THE PAR KART

> PLAN OF FOREIGE SETTLEMENTS, TIENTSLA PLAN OF TSINGTAU (KIAOGHAU) PLAN OF FOREIGN CONCESSION, SHANGHA: PLAN OF HONGREW (SHANGHAI) with Inset. Showing the Extended SETTLEMENT

PLAN OF KOWLOOM PLAN OF MANILA PLAN OF SAIGON

PLAN OF SINGAPORE PLAN OF BATAVIA

The CHRONICLE covers he notable even of the last half century in the Far East togetherwith the Texts of all the most important Treaties concluded with the countries of Eastern, Asia the various Customs Tariffs, Trade Regulations, Chambers of Commerce, Scales of Commissions Baron Fairlie, Freienfels. January 2nd— Duties, Postal Guide, Signal Codes, Chinese Festivals, Tables of Money, Weights and Measures, and other Commercial Information

neluding . The CHRONICLE and DIRECTORY, although condensed in every possible manner, con tains every year more pages.

It was years ago universally pronounced to be the cho pest work of the kind anywhe re published, and although very much enlarge d Mr. & FR. H A. Nisbet and improved in every way, the price in silve r is now below the equivalent of £1 5s, at which it wils originally published.

> DAILY PRESS," and can be had from, and Adv ortisements sent through, the principal Booksellers in Asia and through. 131, Fleet Street, L.C.

It is published at the Office of the "Honoxo no

LINDON ..... Hengkong Daily Press" Off o LONDON .....Mr. F. Algar, 11. Clement's 1.17 LONDON ..... Mexi f. G. Street & Co., 80, Comhill E.C.

## GOING HOME.

## A HOLIDAY AT HOME. AND A WAY TO GET THERE THAT STA HOLIDAY.

WHY NOT

See the beauties of Japan, of Honolulu, (the Paradise of the Paciso), of California, of Colorado, and the fascinations of Niagara, San Francisco, Chicago and New York.

AND THE WAY

Every "travel wise" tourist takes the deservedly famous U.S. MAIL Steamers, of the

#### PACIFIC MAIL CO.

Steamers of Limitless Luxury. Splendidly appointed "Homes on the Water." Wireless Telegraphy. Submarine Fog Signals. Excellent String Orchestra. Meals for epicures under the superintendence of caterer of International Reputs.

The Cost: is not more by this route with its unrivalled opportunities, than by any other route. For a return ticket to London the cost is but £120, including borth and meals across America. To San Francisco via Japan and Honolulu the cost is £45. For the INTERMEDIATE SERVICE First Class accommodations are provided for £43 to London (return ticket £74)and to San Francisco £25. SPECIAL RATES to Officers, Army, Navy, Consular on Civil Coming on application

or Civil Service, on application.			
Steambes.			1912
KOREA	77 -+1 PF 77 -41 -53	SATURDAY, 276 SATURDAY, 106 SATURDAY 2r	th Feb., at 1 P.M.
Intermediate.	<del>-</del>	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	
CHINA	P	FRIDAY, 2n	d Feb., at   P.M.

NILE ... 11,000 FRIDAY 23rd Feb. at 1 P.M.

PERSIA ...... 9,000 Tons Starting TUESDAY, 26th March, at 1 P.M.

LET US PLAN AN ITINERARY FOR YOU.

King's Building (opposite Blake Pier).

FRED J. HALTON,

TREEMONE No. 141.

REGULAR SERVICE FROM HONGKONG TO

## VANCOUVER. SEATTLE &

PORTLAND

#### SHANGHAI AND JAPANESE PORTS.

FOR VICTORIA, VANCOUVER, SEATTIM, TACOMA AND	FOR MANILA.
PORTLAND (OR.).	
SUVERIC 11tl. Jan.	LUCERIC 23rd Jan.

For Rates of Freight and Passage, apply to-THE BANK LINE, LIMITED.

Special Parcel Express to America and Canadian Points.

Electric Light and Wireless Telegraphy.

## TELEPHONE No. 780. King's Building, Praya Central. ORIENTAL AFRICAN LINE.

#### LINE OF STEAMERS SOUTH AFRICAN PORTS.

Regular Direct Service from JAPAN, CHINA and STRAITS to BEIRA DELAGOA BAY, DURBAN, EAST LONDON, PORT ELIZABETH and CAPE TOWN, calling at MAURITIUS if enflicient inducement offers, and affording the Quickest Freight Transport from the ORIENT to SOUTH AFRICA.

PROPOSED SAILINGS. S.S. "DUNFRIC" ... 3.000 tons ... ... to be despatched End January, 1912. S.S. "KATANGA" ... 5,600 tons ... And regularly thereafter.

For Rates of Freight or Passage, apply to-BANK LINE, LIMITED,

### INDIAN AFRICAN LINE.

Cargo carried on through Bills of Lading from HONGKONG to BEIRA, DELAGOA BAY, DURBAN (Natal). EAST LONDON, PORT ELIZABETH and CAPE TOWN with transhipment at COLOMBO to Steamers of the INDIAN AFRICAN LINE.

PROPOSED SAILINGS. FRON HONGKONG: 20th January.

From Colombo: 10th February, 1912.

MANAGING AGENTS.

For Rates and Further Information, apply to-THE BANK LINE, LIMITED, MANAGING AGENTS

#### CONFERENCE-WEIR

REGULAR SERVICE FROM CALCUTTA TO RIVER PLATE, THE STEAMERS OF THIS SERVICE PROVIDE THE QUICKEST TRANSIT FROM THE ORIENT TO THE ARGENTINE.

Frequent Sailings from HONGKONG connecting with the Company's Steamers at CALCUTTA. PROPOSED SAILINGS. FROM CALCUTTA:

Next Departure. For Rates of Freight and Further Particulars, apply to-

Hengkeng, 31st October, 1911.

THE BANK LINE, LIMITED,

MANAGING AGENTS,

[4243-44

## HONGKONG, CANTON, MACAO WEST RIVER STEAMERS

TRVICE OF THE HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAMBOAT CO., LD., AND CHINA NAVIGATION CO., LD.

### CONGRONG-CANTON LINE,

HONGKONG TO CANTON.

CANTON TO HONGKONG

SATURDAY, 6TH JANUARY, 1912. 8 a.m. "KINSHAN." 8 a.m. "FATSUAN." 5 p.m. "HONAM."

SUNDAY, 7th JANUARY, 1912.

8 a.m. "FATSHAN."

These steamers, carrying His Majesty's Mails, are the largest and fasteston the River. Special attention is drawn to the Superior Saloon and Cabin Electric Fan in each Cabin.

BONGKONG-MACAO LINE.

S.S. "SUI TAI," Tons 1651. S.S. "SUI AN." Tons 1651. HONGKONG TO MACAO. Week days at 8 a.m. and 2 p.m. from the Company's Wing Lok Street Wharf. Sunday at 9 a.m. and 12.30 p.m. from the Company's Wing Lok Street Wharf.

MACAO TO HONGKONG. Week days at 7.30 a.m. and 2 p.m. Sundays, at 7.30 a.m. and 5 p.m.

#### EXCURSION TO MACAO.

SUNDAY, 7TH JANUARY. The Company's Steamship

"SUI AN," will depart from the Company's WING LOK STREET WHARF at 9 a.m. Departure

N.B.—The Company will also runs a steamer from Macao on Sanday leaving at 7.30 a.m. and from Hongkong at 12,30 p.m. from the Company's Wing Lok Street Wharf. This Steamer connects with the excursion steamer returning from Macao at 5 p.m.

FARES AS USUAL.

Further particulars may be obtained at the Office of the Company,

#### CANTON-MACAO LINE.

S.S. "HOI-SANG," 457 tons. Departures from Macao to Canton on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 9 p.m. Departures from Canton to Macao on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 4.30 p.m.

JOINT BERVICE OF THE HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAMBOAT CO., LD., THE CHINA NAVIGATION CO., LD., AND THE INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION CO., LD.

#### CANTON-WUCHOW LINE.

S.S. "SAINAM," 588 tons, and S.S. "NANNING," 569 tons. One of the above Steamers leaves Canton for Wuchow every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at about 8 a.m., and the other leaves Wuchew for Canton on the same days at 8,30 a.m. Round trips take about 5 days. Passengers can return to Hongkong or vice versa by the Company's direct steamers "LINTAN" and "SANUI." These versels have superior Cabin accommodation and are lighted throughout by electricity. Electric Fan in each Cabin. Booking Office open daily (Sunday excepted) 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Further particulars may be obtained at the Office of the-

HONGKONG, CANTON & MACAO STEAMBOAT Co., LTD., Hotel Mansions (First Floor), opposite the Hongkong Hotel.

## THE EASTERN & AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP CO., LTD.

MAIL SERVICE TO AUSTRALIA.

MAIL SCHEDULE (SUBJECT TO MODIFICATION)

	STEAMERS			ARRIVE HONGKONG FROM AUSTRALIA.	LEAVE HONGKONG FOR AUSTRALIA
EMPIRE ST. ALBANS EASTERN ALDENHAM	641		•••	12th Jan. 1912 9th Feb. 23rd Feb.	Wed. 10th Jan. Noon.
unbhia or 108"	Fresh Provision.	s. etc	o and	efrigorating Machinery, I are lighted through	ensuring a plentiful

For further particulars, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

AGENTS

# TRANS-PACIFIC WESTERN PACIFIC

#### DENVER AND GRANDE TRANS-CONTINENTAL-

#### KISEN KAISHA. New Triple Screw Turbine Flyers-20 Knots Speed.

S.S. TENYO MARU... ... 21,000 tons. S.S. CHIYO MARU... ... 21,000 tons. S.S. SHINYO MARU ... 21,000 tons.

S.S. NIPPON MARU ... 11,000 tons. (INTERMEDIATE.) HONGKONG to SAN FRANCISCO via CHINA and JAPAN PORTS and HONOLULU. Semi-tropical route-Daily tank bathing, cricket, baseball, dances and free newspaper containing World's happenings by wireless.

#### WESTERN PACIFIC-DENVER RIO GRANDE. The T.K.K. liners connect at San Francisco with the palatial trains of the Western-

Pacific and Denver and Rio Grande, Railways to Chicago via Salt Lake City and Denver WITHOUT CHANGE, Through Standard Sleepers,

Through Tourists' Sleepers. Dining Cars-Observation Cars.

Electric Lights-Electric Fans, Union Depots, New lands, cities and scenes-hundred of miles through the gorgeous scenery of the Sirras-Feather River Canon-and the Royal Gorge of Colorado. .Convenient connections at Chicago with trains for New York Transatlantic Steamers)

and other Eastern points. When taking out Passage over the SAN FRANCISCO SCENIC-ROUTE ask for Ticket form No. 626.

LACY GOODRICH, GENERAL ORIENTAL AGENT, 17. WATER STREET, YOKOHAMA. AND KING'S BUILDING, HONGKONG

AGENTS.

## "SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS, LIMITED.

PROJECTED HOMEWARD SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG. SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.

STEAMERS DATE OF DEPARTURE. LONDON, ROTTERDAM & ANTWERP ..... On 10th Jan. LONDON, AMSTERDAM & ANTWERP ... "MONMOUTHSHIRE" ... On 23rd Jan.

LONDON & ANTWERP ..... "PEMBROKESHIRE" .. On 3rd Feb. All steamers have excellent accommodation for a limited number of First Class Passengers. Cabins are situated amidships, and are fitted with electric light and fans. Attention is directed to the moderate fares charged.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., LTD.,

Hougkong, 12th December, 1911.

UNCLAIMED TELEGRAMS.

Following is a list of unclaimed telegrams lying in the Great Northern Telegraph Company's office at Hongkong :-Address.

Benseangguan ... Chiungfii ... ... ... Duckjoung... Fungshing, West Road Central Gensser .... licefong ... ... Kungwingshing ... Kwongchonghing Min Wingchongying ... ... Talenit ... ... Yungchong 0088 0735 2490 ...... **~**06 3883 1355 ... CO22 0948 2480 1032 0152 2450

1738 5705 5827 ... ... ...

1648 4382 5281 1129 6670 0022 The following is a list of unclaimed telegrams lying in the Eastern Extension. Australasia &

China Telegraph Company's office at Hong-Address Frankel H. Hongkong Hotel ... Hondulu Funk Peak Hotel Hesing H. C. W. Hongkong Jofatsing ... ... ... .. Cholon Liyik .... .... .... .... .... .... Calcutta Moonlein, 2nd Story, No. 4, Elegant Street .... Paalmist Sankai Japanese Singtaiho ... ... San Francisco Tongyin Sionguankai Singapore Weeleong Syeyapuanh ...Singapore

#### WEATHER REPORT.

On the 5th at 11.55 a.m.—The barometer has risen moderately in N.E. Japan, and fallen elsewhere, particularly on the E. coast of China. A depression appears to be developing over tuo Eastern Sea

Pressure is relatively high over the Pacific to the East of the Loochoos, and over the Yang zo Valley.

Moderate monsoon may be expected over the N. part of the China Sea.

Hongkong rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.00 inches. The forecast for the 24 hours ending at noon

to-day is as follows :---DISTRICT FORECAST \* Hongkong & Neighbourhood

Formesa Channel ... winds, inoderate. South coast of China between Hongkong and Lamocks. Same as No. 1.

South coast of China between Same as No. 1. \* N.E. and N winds, moderate; fair.

CHURCH SERVICES

PEAR CHURCH-Holy Communion at 8 n.m.

"Ged shall wips away all tears" (Field). 3 p.m. Service for children and friends in Peak Church. 6 pm. Worship, Hymns 482, 611, 485, 476 an i ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH, Nathan Road, Kowloon. Epiphany Sunday 7th January 1912. Holy Communica 8 a.m. atins, 11 a.m. Venite, W. Russell; Pealms 35 ve ses 1, 16 Langdon; verses 47 end Henley; Jubilate Hay s; t ymns, 76, 79, Hankow ..... 306 and 4 Evensong 6,00 p.m. Psilons, 7th | Kinking .....

quarters on the Church grounds. ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL, Hongkong, 7th January | Taihoku ..... Ferial: Venite, Elvey; Psalms, of the 5th morning; To Deum, Godsby in C.; Jubilate Ouseley in G.; Anthem 'I, Waited for the Lord"—Nendelsschn. Holy Communion (11,45fam.) (Kycie, Adlam in F.; Tymne, 74 and 79. N.R.-Psalm 35, verses 1, 2, 0, 17, 18, 23 24 and 27 in unis in ; Psalm 36, verses 1 2, 9 and 10 in unison. Evensong (5.45 p.m.) Responses, Ferial ; Palms, of the 7th evening (I); Magnificat, Havergal (7th evening); Nunc Dimittis, Monk; Hymns, 74 488 and 266; Pracher:—The Bishop of Victoria.

# MHUNG NGOI SAN PO

(Chinese Daily Press). PUBLISHED DAILY. Is the oldest and still immeasurably the best Advertising medium among the Native Community.

Established for over FIFTY YMANS Croulates argely throughout Southern Chica Indo-China, etc.

Terms for Advertising (Translation Irea) cor be obtained at the Office, 10A, Des Your Rust Central, Hongkong 131. Fleet Street, London or from the different : Agents. Domments translated from or into Classical or Colleguial Chinese.

## SUFFERERS FROM SKIN & BLOOD DISEASES

such as Eczema, Scroruta, Bab Legs, Abscesses, Ulcers, Glandular Swellings, Boils, Pimples, Eruptions Piles, Blood Poison, Rheumatism, Gout, &c., should at once realize that outward application, such as lotions, continents so-called balms, &c., though they may give #elief for the time being, DO NOT CURE. The trouble lies deeper-in the blood. These complaints are the result of clogging impurities in the blood -and so

#### CAN BE CURED ONLY BY PURIFYING THE BLOOD.

For cleansing the blood of all impurities, from whatever cause arising, there is no other medicine just as good as Clarke's Blood Mixture-that's why in thousands of cases of skin and blood diseases it has effected

truly remarkable cures where all other treatments have failed. The Editor of the " FAMILY DOCTOR," London's popular medical weekly, writes:

"We have seen hosts of letters bearing testimony to the truly wonderful cures by Clarke's Blood Mixture. It is the first Blood Purifier that Science and Medical Skill have brought to light, and we can with the utmost. confidence recommend it to our subscribers and the public generally."



THE WORLD'S BEST BLOOD PURIFIER HAS CURED THOUSANDS.

WILL CURE YOU. Sold by all Chemists and Patent Medicine Vendors throughout the World.

REFUSE SUBSTITUTES

CHINA COAST METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER.

5th J. NUARY, A.M. Vl'ostock ..... 7a 30.05 14 | 50 | --Nemuro ..... | 6 a. 3 | 01 - | - | 0 | -Hakolate ..... " 30.07 — | NNH 1 — Union Church, Konnedy Road, Minister. Rev. Tokio ....... , 3010 - - 0 -C: H. Hickling. 11 a.m. Worship. Hymns 17, 480, Kochi ...... ... 30.23 - sw 483, Te Deum (Hopkins and Turle), Anthem Nagasaki **30 23**; ---Karoshima Oshima ...... Iski'jima ..... Bouin Is. .... Chefeo ...... Weibaiwei ...

ovening; Fealm 37 Gott; Magnificat Burn'y; Shanghai ..... 9a. 30.26 42 92

Nunc D mittis: Felton; Hymre 178, 537, 22 and Gutzleff ..... 3) 22 52 93

12; Vesper Hymn, Sunday School will be helias Sharp Peak .... ..... 30 19 59

usual at 3.00 p.m. in the Boy Scouts' Head- Amov ...... 6a. 30.15 58 28 Swatow ..... 1 5 a 30.18 — Tainan ...... Koshuh ..... Pescadores ... Canton ...... 9 a. 30 I 9 61 | 52 [ Hongkong ... Vict. Peak-Gap Rock ..... " 30.13 -- ENE Масло 30.17, 66 Pakhoi ..... N.B.—Pralm 37, verses 1, 2, 13, 20, 40 and 41 in Phulien ..... C. St. James ... Aparri ...... 10 a {30.00 84 | 64 |

> F. G. Figg. Director. Hongkong Observatory, January 5th, 1912. 1 BAROMETER, reduced to 32 degrees Fahrenheit on the level of the sea in inches; tenths and hundredths. 2 TEMPERATURE, in the shade, in degrees Fahren-

**,** [23.93 79] —

" |29.93 83 | —

NE

NR 2 c

3 Humidity, in percentage of saturation, the humidity of air saturated with moisture being 100.

4 Direction of Wind, to two points.

5 Force of Wind, according to Bondfort Scale.

6 State of Weather, b blue sky, c detached cloud, d drizzling rain, f fog. g gloomy, h hail, lightning, c overcast, p passing showers, q squally, rain, a snow, t thunder, y visibility, w days (west). rain, a snow, t thunder, v visibility, w dew (wet)

0 RAIN in inches, tenths and hundredths.

## AUSTRIAN LLOYD

Becoled .....

Labuan ....

Iloiia .....

(Under Mail Contract with the Austrian Government.) MONTHLY FAST DIRECT SERVICE TO TRIESTE. VIA SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ AND PORT SAID. S.S. "BOHEMIA," 7,935 tons, will leave as above on February 19th, 1912, at 5 p.m.

S.S. "AFRICA," 8,840 tons, will leave as above on March 19th, 1912, at 5 p.m.

. TO SHANGHAL S.S. "BOHEMIA," 7,935 tons, will leave as above on February 5th, 1912, at 6 p.m. Superior accommodation for 1st and 2nd Class Cabin and Steerage passengers. Cheap rates, Hongkong-Trieste Venice, £50 1st, £35 2nd Class. No surtax, no tips, no inside Cabins, excellent cuisine, Doctor, Laundry, Wireless Telegraphy.

MONTHLY ORDINARY SERVICE, S.S. "NIPPON," 13,950 tons, will leave for YOROHAMA and KOBE via SHANGHAI about January 19th, at 5 p.m. S.S. "PERSIA," 12,575 tons, will leave for TRIESTE, FIUME and VENICE, via SINGAPORE. PENANG, COLOMBO. BOMBAY, KARACHI, ADEN. SUEZ, PORT SAID, about January

22nd, at 3 s.m. These steamers are fitted with comfortable one class accommodation for saloon passengers, Cheap rates, Hongkong-Trieste, Venice £43, no surtax, excellent cuisine, Doctor, Wireless Telegraphy. BOUND THE WORLD TICKETS ARE ISSUED.

CARGO is taken at through rates to all ports in the Adriatio, the Levant and Black Sea, also to North and South America. For information apply to

SANDER, WIELER & Co., Agents, Hongkong, 4th January, 1912.

Princes' Building.

5th Jun .- San Francisco, Keroseno oil-DATTER MARCH Jup. str., 899, S. Yamoguchi, 5th Jan. - Swatow 4th January, General-Osaka Shosen Kaisha. Draw and ya. Baltish str., 4,765, W. R. F. Hickey, Cili Januart - Shanglini 201 Jan, Meile,

Silk and General-P. & O. S. N. Co. Darriense of India, British etc., 5,940, Bit Besturio Sch Jan.—Vancouver, B.C., 14th Det. Mails and General-Canadian Pacific "Avoress, Dritish str. 1,340. C. C. Page, 4th Jan - Sci on 30th Dec., General-We Fat

Molarate, Norvegian str., 897, Milsam, 4th January -- Pakhoi 2nd January -- Angaard Thomsen & Co.

WEAR British str., 4,346. A. W. Onforbridge Sthefon, "Manils 2nd January, General-Batterfield & Swire. myrgayas, Outch str., 2,444, Oldenbuyer, 4t Jan .- Spreadaya 26th Dec., Sugar an General -Juva-China-Japan Liju.

> CHARANCES. SOUR MASTER'S OFFICE. 5th January.

Berhallere, Japanese str., for Dairen. the roder, British str. for Unrope, &c. Was group Prough str., for Pakhol. Transpire Jarn, Supanese str., for Meji. Towner, bottak ser, for Singapore, Same of Mora Japanese str., for Moji. William in I has in str. for Halby in thin serie. Destish sir, for Marila,

CONTRIBUTE \_ 5th January ASTYANAN, Pay ish slet, for Shangfold. CHEDAR, Norwegian str., for Swatow HARAN, Brdish str., for Swatow. Honosur, thiushelm, for Hoillow. PERSIA. Gritish str. for Shangisal. Spinas, Brdish str., for Hellow. Tryggang, British str., for Shenghal. Triv, Lornogian str.; for Manila.

Per Tern, from Manila, Messes W. Baltons E. Hardther, S. Frenndo, M. Martinen, Louiko, O. Panolle, G. Challandes, W. Hi. Capt. Wetherell, Mr and Mrs Directley child, Mr and Mrs Karshiner.

Per Benanher, for Hougkong, from Ye

hamm, Mr H. H. Mallett; from Shanghai, and Mrs Ricordo, Mr E. Guttenlag and vant, Mr H. Schulmacher, Mr H. P. Find. Mr E. Kings, Mr and Mas A. Niesson. Ter Empress of India, for Houghong, f Vageouver, B.C., Mr F. W. Dillon, Mr W. Hamilton, Mr F. C. Gay, Mrs Forbes Tulle Mr.J. Bair, Mr and Mrs A. F. James, Mr Mrs W. H. Watson, Mr G. L. Hunting : f

Changhai, Capt. W. H. Johnson. Per M.M. str. Sydney expected to arrive earl5th inst .- For Hongkong, Mrs Albert, Cardaner, Mr Blanco, Mr and Mrs Dupuy Echildren; for Slanghai, Mr Bard, Mr mail, Mr Vandiem, Mr and Mrs Le Moand dam harr, Mr Tchon, Mr Brunchstein Mrlionnet; fer Yokohama, Mr Van der Ster Mr and Mrs Miguel, Mr Sadoul, Mr Ker and Mr Risuesecc.

#### VESSELS EXPECTED.

THE AMERICAN MAIL The P. M. S.S. Co.'s str. Siberia sailed from San Francisco on the 19th ult. for Hongkong, via Henolulu, Yokohama, Kobe, Nagasaki and Matita, and is due to arrive here on the 19th

The P. M. S.S. Co. str. China sailed from San Francisco on the 27th ult. for Hongkong, vin Honolulu, Yokohama, Kobs, Nagasaki and Shanghai, and is due to arrive at Hongkong on the 23nd inst.

from San Francisco on the 3rd just, for Hong. kong, via Honolulu, Yokohama, Kobe, Nagasaki and Manila, and is due to arrive at Hongkong MANILA YAP, MARONN, SAMAon the 5rd prox.

The T.K.K. dr. Chiyo Morn will be despolched from San Francisco on the 10th inst. for Hongkong, and is due at this port on the THE AUSTRALIAN MAIL.

The f G.M. str. I rinz Waldemar left Sydney |on the 15th ultimo, at 11 a.m., and may be KUDAT and SANDAKAN ... ... ... espected here on or about the 8th inst. The H. & A. str. St. Albans left Sydney on the 20th ult., for this port (via Queensland Ports, Timor and Manile). THE ENGLISH MAIL

The P. & O. S. N. Co s str. Delta left Singapore for this port on the 31st ult., at 6 p.m., with the outward English Mails, and is due here to-day al about 6 a m. THE GERMAN MAIL.

The L.G.M. str. Gorben carrying the German Mails with dates from Berlin of the 13th ult., left Colembo on the 31st ult. a.m., and may be expected here on or about the 11th inst. THE INDIAN MAIL.

The Apear str. Jopan from Calcutta left Singapore on the 30th ult., and may be expected here to day. The Apear str. Catherine Apear from Caloutta left Singapore on the 2nd last, afternoon, and may be expected here on or about the 8th

MERCHANT STEAMERS. The N.Y.K. str. Milke Maru (Calcutta Line) left Sincupore on the 29th ult., and is expected

here to day. The "Beu" Line str. Benlawers from Leith, Middlesbro' and London, left Singapore on the 30th ult., for this port. The "Shire" Line str. Carmarthenshire left

Singapore for Hongkong on the 1st inst., and may be expected here on or about the 8th inst. The str. Capri left Singapore for this port on the 30th nit., and may be expected here on or about the 8th inst. The Apour str. Arratoon Apour from Shang.

ha and Kobe left Moji on the 3rd instant afternoon, and may be expected here on or atout the 8th inst. "The T.K.K. str. Shinyo Maru sailed from Yokohama on the 2nd inst. for Hongkong, and

is due at Hongkong on the 9th inst. The A. & M. Line str. Karenga passed the Surz Canal on the 29th ult., and is due here on the 28th inst.

The T.K.K. str. Kiyo Maru sailed from Honolulu on the 1st instant for Hongkong, and is expected to arrive at this port on or about the

The T.K.K. str. Buyo Maru sailed from Coronel, Chile, for Hongkong on the 3rd inst., and is due to arrive at Hongkong on the 26th

## VESSELS ADVERTISED AS LOADING.

To accertain the anchorage of ar y Vestals, the Harbour has been divided into Four Sections commencing from Green Island. Vestals anchoring nearest Kowloon are marked "k," nearest Hongkong "h," I sidway Estween Hongkong and Kowloon " m." and those vessels berthed at the Kowloon Wharf "kw." together with the number denoting the section. SECTIONS.

i,  .	1. From Green Island to the Harbour Master's	2. From Harbour Ma	stor's to Binke	Pier	From Blake Pier to Ne	val Yard. 4. From Naval Yard	to East Point
y,		VESSEL'S NAMES.	FLAG & BIO		a CAPTAIN.	OT YATER THORES NOW	TO BE DESPATORNO
4,	LONDON, AC, VIA USUAL PORTS OF CALL	DEVANHA	Brit. str.			P. & O. S. N. Co JARDINE MATHEON & Co., LD	
E+ }	LONDON, ROTTERDAM & ANTWERP	DENNIGHSHIRE					
Lh	TONIO TO SERVICE THE STREET OF A NUMBER P. AND	SPEZIA	Ger, str. ,	k.w	Faase	HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE	On 29th Fob.
fic	THE PROPERTY OF A STATE AND THE PROPERTY OF A NOWHERP, &C.		Ger. atr	k.w.	Masss	HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE	On 11th inst. On 13th inst.
<del>ւ</del> հ		_B 1,7 de E +12 to 21 to 140	1		Buch	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	On 4th Feb.
at	HAVRE, ROTTERDAM & HAMBURG, ac	STLESIA		k.w		HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIS	
լ Լեֆ						HAMUBIG-AMERIKA LININ NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA	On 23rd Feb. On 17th inst. at D'light.
rd.	the action of the control of the con					HAMBURG-AMBRIKA LINE	On 29th inst
1					•	Nippon Yusun Kaisha Hamburg-Amerika Linib	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
go, I—						Osaka Shosen Kaisha	
	VICTORIA, B.C. & TACOMA, VIA SHANGHAL, &	TACOMA MABU	Jap. str. "		*** (** ***	Osaka Shosen Kaisha	On 24th inst, at 11 A.M.
4th	-     -   -   -   -   -   -   -   -   -	'		7.17		Nippon Yusen Kaisha Melchers & Co	
and	k k _ a	W)			Cluinak	SANDER, WIELER & Co	On 22ad inst., at 3 A.M.
	TRIESTE, FIUNE, & VENICE, via SINGAPORE, &C	Вонемы	Aus. str			SANDER, WIELER & Co.	On 19th Feb., at 5 P.M.
•					11 ca es 111 111 111	THE BANK LINE, LIMITED	On 11th inst.
•	VANCOUVER, B.C., MEATTIN & PORTLAND, ON	EMPRES OF INDIA.	Brit. str	2 m.	143 210 404 (14 (4) 100	CANADIAN PACIFIC R. Co	On 27th inst, at 7 A.M.
<u> </u>	TO A NOTE WITH VIA BUANGUAL, JALAN, See		<del>_</del> , <u>_</u> , _ , _ , _ , _ , _ , _ , _ , _ , _ ,	· · ·		CANADIAN PACIFIC R. Co	
•	- 1 GAN, PRANCISCO VIA SHANDHAI & JAPAN, CC	LORDA	• 1 * *** *** **	· 1	H. S. Smith	Toyo Kaisen Kaisea	On 19th inst., at Noon.
	SAN FRANCISCO VIA SHANGHAI & JAPAN, &c SAN FRANCISCO VIA SHANGHAI & JAPAN, &c	CHINA	Am. str.			PACIFIC MAIL S.S. Co	
1	1		Brit, str.	· -		GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA	
•	AUSTRALIAN PORTS VIX MANUAL	PRINZ WALDEMAR	Ger. str.		H. Bremer	MELCHERS & Co	Ou 27th inst., at 10 A.M.
						SANDER, WEILER & Co	
	KORE & YOKOHAMA	KAMO MARU	Jan. str.		F. L. Sommer	Nippon Yusen Kaisha	On 18th inst., at 11 A.M.
	NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA	YAWATA MARU	Jap. str.	(a   1   1   1   1   1   1   1   1   1		Nippon Yusen Kaisha Toyo Kisen Kaisha	
					Van D. Jalink	JAVA-CHINA-JAPAN LIJN	Quick despatch
•	JAPAN TSINGTAU, WEIHAIWEI & CHEFOO	KIUKIANG	Brit, str.	1 m.	Roberton	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE	On 9th inst., at 4 P.M.
			4411 174654 1444			NIPPON YUSHN KAISHA P. & O. S. N. Co.	
	SHANGHAI	ANHUI	Brit. str.	1 m.	J. B. Harris	. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE	To-day, at Midnight.
	SHANGAIII VIA SWATOW	HANGBANG	Brit, str.			JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., LI SANDER, WIELER & Co	
	- TESTIANGULAL MOJER KOBE (	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,			EO S Walingroad	Time was a Reserve on the Co. T. r.	A roll time at D'light I
	1 SICSNGHAL		(1) 4-4		Wm. Lloyd Jones .	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE	On 11th inst., at 4 P.M.
	SHANGHAI, TSINGTAU, KODE & TOROLLAM	Soco'cra	Brit. str.		G. J. Coldwell,	P. & O. B. N. Co	About 12th inst.
						* - · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
		1 25 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2		_		NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA HAMBURG-ANERIKA LINIE	
nsk	- LSHANGHAL KOBE & YORUBAMA	11.	Brit. str.		G. M. B. Lake	JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., L.	o On 19th inst., at Noon.
h,	1.1 @ (4 A M (2 D A T	TO DESIGNATIVE OF THE SAME	1 (7 3	•		SANDER, WIELER & Co ARTHUR NILSSON & Co	On 5th Feb., at 6 P.M About 7th Feb.
Bin	E. SHANGHAL YOKOHAMA, KOBE & MOJEST	1 EDDU			Rooy	Java-China-Japan Löis	Quick despatch.
6)	TANSHI VIA SWATOW & AMOY	DAIJIN MARU	Jap. str.				To morrow, at 10 A M. On 10th inst., at 8 A.M.
kok	O LANPING MA'SWATOW & AMUX	KANCHOW	70 71	, <u> </u>	141 144 141 141 141 141 141 141 141 141	BUTTERFIELD & SWIME	To-morrow, at Daylight
k, A L se	The state of the s	HAIYANG	Brit. str.	2 h	J. W. Evans		
dlo	Y SWATOW	HAITAN			J. S. Rozeli W. C. Passmore		On 9th inst., at 11 A.M. On 11th inst., at 11 A.M.
fre	SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW	HAITAN	Brit. str.	, 2 h.	J. S. Roach	Douglas Lapraik & Co	On 14th inst., at 10 A.M.
٧.		LUCERIC	Brit. str.		T. H. Lishman	THE BANK LINE LTD JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., L.	On 23rd inst.
lloc	the ASANTTA	KAIFONG	Brit. str.		Sidford	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE	On 9th inst., at 4 P.M.
r a fr	om MANILA CEHU & ILUILU	ZAFIRO	Am. str.		M C. Smith		
	THE REPORT OF A CASE A MICHAEL CONTRACT OF A CONTRACT OF A CASE OF	10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 1	Am. str.		S. Crosby V. Zwart	JAVA-CHINA-JAPAN LIJN	•
a liz	BATAVIA, CHERIBON, BAMAHANG, AG	CAPRI	Ital. str	· ····   —	. Figari	CARLOWITZ & Co	On 13th inst., at Noon.
rt, I	ME BOMBAY VIA SINGAPORE & COLOMBO	COLOMBO MARU	Jan. str.	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	J. Teronaka E. J. Tadd	Nippon Yusen Kaisha Jardine, Matheson & Co., I.	
2, 0	IN I CATE OF TOO PER PENANCIAL CALCULA	YATSHING	Brit. str.	<del></del> .	S.J. Payne	Jardine, Matheson & Co., L	D On 9th inst., at 3 P.M.
_	lee GINGAPORE PENANG & CALCUTTA	ARRATOON APCAR	Brit. str.		G. F. Hudson F. Sembill	DAVID SASSOON & Co., LTD	
in a	and Light Title A. P. & SANDAKAN	PORTEG	Ger. str. Brit. str.		Mathias	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE	On 11th inst. at 10 A.M.
	en, HAIPHONG WANG & HAIPHONG	SI-BIANG	Fron. str		E. de Catalano	MESSAGERIES MARITIMES	
	I WALL COLLEGE OF THE STATE OF				MT A TATA A	TO A CONTINUE AND A	

## NORDDEUTSCHER IMPERIAL GERMAN MAIL LINES.

TO BAIL. STEAMERS NAPLES, GENOA, ALGIERS, Wed'day, 10th "PRINZ LUDWIG," Jan., at Noon. GIBRALTAR, SOUTHAMPTON, Capt. F. v. BENZER, 18,300 [ ANTWERP and HAMBURG

".GOEBEN." The P. M. S.S. Co. str. Manchuria sailed SHANGHAI, TSINGTAU, KOBE L 11th Jan. Capt. A. AHLBORN, and YOKOHAMA ... ... ... "PRINZ WALDEMAR," Saturday. 27th 6,100 \ Jan., at 10 A.M. RAI, NEWGUINEA, BRISBANE, Capt. H. BREMER, SYDNEY and MELBOURNE .... "PRINZ WALDEMAR," About KOBE and YOKOHAMA .... Capt. H. BREMER, 6,100

> Middle of "BORNEO" Capt. F. SEMBILL, January. All the Steamers of the European Line are fitted with Wireless Telegraphic.

New System of Telefunken. For Further Particulars, apply to

NORDDEUTSUHER LLOYD, MELCHERS & Co., GENERAL AGENTS HONGKONG AND CHIN'.

Hengkong, 1st January, 1912.

#### PASSENGER SEASON 1912.

#### NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD, BREMEN. TO EUROPE BY THE MAGNIFICENT FAST LINERS.

DISPLACEMENT. STRAMSHIP 17,000 tons On FEBRUARY 6TH. "" GOEBEN" Capt. A. AHLBORN. ON FEBRUARY 21st. "DERFFLINGER" - - 17,300 Capt. F. PROESCH. \*"PRINZ EITEL FRIEDRICH" 16,000 , ON MARCH 5TH. Capt. E. MALCHOW. 17,000 ,, ON MARCH 20TH. "YORCK" - - -Capt. J. RANDERMANN. " On April 2nd. ""PRINZESS ALICE" Capl. P. GROSCH. ON APRIL 17TH. " LUETZOW " Capt. J. BORTFELDT 17,000 , ON APRIL 30TH. "" KLEIST"

· Capt. L. MAASS. \* THESE STEAMERS WILL CALL AT MANILA DIRECT ON THE VOYAGE FROM HERE TO SINGAPORE. CALLING AT NAPLES, GENOA, ALGIERS, GIBRALTAR AND SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND PASSENGERS. All the Steamers of the European Line are fitted with Wireless Telegraphy. (System Telefanken.) EARLY BOOKING RECOMMENDED.

For Further Particulars, apply to GENERAL AGENTS. MELCHERS & Co., Hongkong, 1st September, 1911.

#### LLOYD. BREMEN CANADIAN PACIFIC ROYAL MAIL Captain G. F. Hudson, will be despatched for the above Ports on FRIDAY, the 12th STEAMSHIP LINE. VIA VANCOUVER

#### AND THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY. PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG, ST. JOHN, N.B., AND QUEBEC.

SUBJECT TO ALTERATION. FOR LIVERPOOL. FOR VANCOUVER. "EMPRESS OF INDIA" SAT., 27th Jan. | "EMPRESS OF IRELAND" FRI., 23rd Feb. "EMPRESS OF JAPAN" SAT., 24th Feb. | "EMPRESS OF IRELAND" FRI , 22nd Mar. "EMPRESS OF IRELAND" FRI., 19th Apr. "MONTEAGLE" ...... SAT., 23rd Mar. From Quebec. "EMPRESS OF INDIA" SAT., 20th Apr. | "EMPRESS OF IRELAND" FRI., 17th May.

THE direct route to CANADA, UNITED STATES and EUROPE, calling at BHANGHAI, NAGASAKI (through the INLAND SEA OF JAPAN) KÖBE, YOKOHAMA and VICTORIA, B.C. Connecting at VANCCUVER with a Mail Express, and at ST. JOHN or QUEBEC with the Company's Adantic "EMPRESS" Steamships, 14500 tons register, thus providing a comfortable and speedy through route to Europe.

All Steamers of the Company's Pacific and Atlantic Floets are equipped with the Marconi Wireless apparatus.

Steamships leave HONGKONG at 7 A.M.

Hongkong to London, 1st Class ..... via Canadian Atlantic Ports or New York £71.10 Intermediate on Steamship) "Monteagle" First Class rate to London includes cost of Meals and Berth in Sleeping Car while

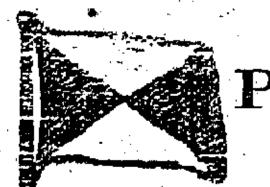
crossing the American Continent by Canadian Pacific direct Line. R.M.S. "MONTEAGLE," co ries Intermediate Passengers only, at Intermediate rates affording superior secommodation for that class. Passengers Booked through to all points and AROUND THE WORLD.

SPECIAL THROUGH RATES (First Class only) granted to Missionaries, Members of the Naval, Military, Diplomatic, and Civil Services and to European Officials in the Service of China and Japan Governments. Full particulars of application from Agents. For further information Maps, Routes, Handbooks, Rates of Freight and Passage, apply to D. W. CRADDOCK, General Traffic Agent for China, Corner Pedder Street and Praya opposite Blake Pier.

#### EAST ASLATIC SWEDISH CO., LTD.

#### GOTHENBURG.

PROFOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG (SUBJECT TO ALTERATION). DATE OF SAILINGS. TONB DESTINATION STRAMERS. SHANGHAI, YOKOHAMA, WEDDO" ... ... 7,200 ... ... About 7th February. ROBE & MOJI... ...) TELEPHONE No. 171. \*For Freight and Further Particulars, apply to



ABTHUR NILSSON & CO.,

YORK BUILDINGS, TOP FLOOR.

SAILING DATE Tons Captain STRAMBRIP Manils, Mangarin, On 10th Jan., 4 P.M. 4000 M. C. Smith ... ZAFIRO Manila, Mangarin, On 20th Jan., 4 P.M. RUBI ... PHILIPPINES CARNIVAL FEBRUARY 3RD TO 12TH, 1912. For sailing on January 30th, Special Reduced Rate, Hongkong-Manila and Return 250.00

No Politax. SHEWAN, TOMES & Co., General Managers. For Freight or Passage, apply to Hongkong, 3rd January, 1912, PHILIPPINES 8.8, Co.

#### VESSELS ON THE BEKTH

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

STEAM FOR STRAITS. CEYLON AUSTRALIA, INDIA, ADEN, EGYPT, MEDITERRANEAN PORTS. PLYMOUTH AND LONDON.

THROUGH BILLS OF LADING ISSUED FOR BATAVIA, PERSIAN GULE, CONTINENTAL, AMERICAN AND SOUTH AFRICA PORTS. HE Steamship

"DEVANHA," Captain W. R. Hickey, carrying His Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for Bombay, TO-DAY, the 6th Jang 1912, at NOON, taking Passengers and Cargo for the above Ports in connection with the Co.'s s.s. "MOOLTAN," 9,500 tons, from Colombo, passengers' accommodation in which vessel is secured before departure from Hongkong.

, Silk and Valuables, all Cargo for France, Tea and Cargo for London (under arrangement) will be transhipped at Colombo into the mail steamer proceeding direct to Marseilles and London, other Cargo for London, &c., will be conveyed via Bombay by the s.s. "OCRANA," due in London on the 17th February, 1912. Parcels will be received at the Office until 4 P.M. the day before sailing. The

contents and value of all packages are required.

For further particulars, apply to E. A. HEWETT. Superintendent,

Hongkong, 28th December, 1911. FOR SHANGHAI.

THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

"DELTA, Captain E. P. Marting R.N.R., will leave for Shanghai TO-DAY, the 6th inst., at 4 r.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to Superintendent. Hongkong, 3rd January, 1912. FOR SHANGHAI, KOBE AND MOJI.

/ IIII Steamship

"JAPAN," Captain A. Stewart, will be descatched for the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 9th inst., at 1 P.M. The Steamer has superior accommodation for

Passengers, is installed throughout with Electric Light and carries a duly certified dootof RETURN TOURS TO JAPAN

(Occupying 20 Days). The Steamers leave about every 3 weeks for Shanghai and Kobe (Inland Sea), returning via Moji providing a stay of 5 to 6 days in Japan. Return Tickets are available by the Indo-China Steam Navigation Co.'s Steamers. Fare for round trip, \$120. For Freight or Passage, apply to

DAVID SASSOON & Co., LTD., Hongkong, 4th January, 1912. FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND

(Taking Cargo on Through Bills of Lading to Rangoon, Madras and Mauritius.)

CALCUTTA.

/ FIE Steamship

"ARRATOON APCAR." For Freight or Passage, apply to DAVID SASSOON & Co., Ltd.,

Agents. Hongkong, 5th January, 1912. REGULAR STEAMSHIP SERVICE.

(WITH LIBERTY TO CALL AT MALABAR COAST). PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.

FOR BOSTON AND NEW YORK, S.S. "DACRE CASTLE" On or about 12th Jan.

For Freight and further information, apply to DOD WELL & Co., LTD., Agents. Hongkong, 22nd December, 1911.

ECCIETA NAZIONALE DI SERVIZI MARITTIMI.

-STEAM FOR BOMBAY. VIA SINGAPORE AND PENANG. Having connection with Company's Mail Steamers to PORT SAID, MESSINA, NAPLES, LEGHORN and GENOA, also VENICE and TRIESTE, all MEDITER-SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS up to CALLAO.

RANEAN, ADRIATIC, LEVANTINE and (Taking Cargo at through rates to Persian Gulf and Bagdad, also Barcelona. VALENZA. ALICANTE, ALMERIA and MALAGA.) THE Steamship

Captain Figari, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 13th inst., at Noon.

For further particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply to CARLOWITZ & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, 4th January, 1912.



AUSTRIAN LLOYDS STEAM NAVI-

STEAM FOR FIUME AND TRIESTE (DIRECT), Calling at SINGAPORE, PENANG. COLOMBO, BOMBAY, KARACHI, ADEN. SUEZ AND PORT SAID. (Taking Cargo at through rates to the BRAZILS, to SOUTH AFRICA, PERSIA: GULF, HED BEA, BLACK SEA,

LEVANT, VENIOR and ADRIATIC PORTS). THE Company's Steamship

"PERSIA." Captain Cliunak, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, 22nd JAN., 1912. This Steamer has capital accommodation for passengers, electric light and carries a doctor. Fer information as to Passage and Freight apply to

SANDER, WIELER & Co., Agents, Princes Buildings.

Hongkong, 28th December, 1911.

FOR STRAM das	TO MAIL	REMARKS
SHANGHAI {DELTA	4 P.M. 6th Jan.	Freight and Passage.
ONDON VIA USUAL PORTS DEVANDA Capt. W. R. Hickey,	Noon	Sec Special Advertisemen
ONDON and ANTWERP SYRIA	About 10th Jan.	Freight and Passage.
SHANGHAI, MOJI, KOBE SOCOTRA	About 12th Jan.	Freight only.
P	A. HEWE	

# CHINA NAVIGATION CO., LD.

67.4.1	ILINGS SUB	JECT TO	ALTERAT	ION	:
P.A.	Inthus Son	8′	PEAMFRS .	TO	BAIL BUSINES
SHANGUAI	)  - 	ANHUL		On oth Ja	m., m night.
4 THY APPICATION TO THE PARTY	W. P31177141		NT (1 1)	Char Uth In	71 44 17 18 1.
MANILA, CEBU	TATWEL & CREE	COO "KIUKI	NG."	Од 9th Ja	m, 4 P.M
		A CHET YART A	TAT D	On 11th Ja	m., 4 P.M.
HAIPHONG BHANGUAL		LINAN "LINAN"	29 29 20 - Anne 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1	On 13th Ja	n, M'night.
SHANGHAI	on GATITNOS	TO WEST R	LIVER, Twice	Weekly	• . <del></del>

DIRECT SAILINGS TO WEST RIVER, I WISC S.S. "LINTAN" and S.S. "SANUI." AUSTRALIAN STEAMER's have superior accommodation with Electric Light. throughout and Electric Fans in the Staterooms. Aduly qualified Surgeon is carried REDUCED FARES, Cargo booked through for all Australian, New Zealand and MANILA LINE-TWIN SCREW STEAMERS "TEAN" and "TAMING," Tasmanian Ports.

Baloon accommodation of S.S. "KAIFONG" is situated on Deck, aft. SHANGHAI LINE—FAST SCHEDULE TWIN SCREW STEAMERS "ANHUI," "CHENAN." "CHINHUA" and "LINAN" with excellent accommoda-tion, Electric Light throughout and Electric Fans in the State-rooms and Dining Salcon, leaving Hongkorg for Shanghai direct every Thursday and Sunday, taking cargo on through Bills of Lading to all Yangtsze and Northern China Ports.

NB-Passengers must embark before Mid-night on SATURDAY, for the SUNDAY Morning sailings. A Co.'s launch leaves Murray Pier at 10 o'clock every SATURDAY These Steamers Land Passengers in Shanghai, avoiding the inconvenience of

REDUCED FARES:—SINGLE \$45.....RETURN \$75. the transhipment at Woosung. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, For Freighrot Passage apply to-AGENTS. Hongkong, 6th January, 1912.

#### LINIE HAMBURG-AMERIKA IN \*CONJUNCTION WITH

DEUTSCHE DAMPESCHIFFAHRTS GESELLSCHAFT "HANSA." Regular Sailings from JAPAN, CHINA and PHILIPPINES, via STRAITS and COLOMBO,

to MARSEILLES, HAVRE, BREMEN and HAMBURG and to NEW YORK. AKING Cargo at Through Rates to all European North Continental and British Ports also Trieste, Lisbon, Oporto, Marseilles, Genoa, and other Mediterranean Leventine, Black Baltic Sea and Ports, and all North and South American Ports.

NEXT SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG: HOMEWARD. OUTWARD.

O2 SHNGHAI, KOBI & YOKOHAMA:	FOR HAVRE, ROTTERDAM, H'BURG& ANTWER 8.8. BRASILIA 11th Jan. FOR HAVRE, BREVEN & HAMBURG:
8.S. AMBRIA 19th Jan.	S.S. DORTMUND . 135h Jan. FOR MARSHILLES, ROTTERDAM & HAMBURG
SS. GOLDENFELS 28th Jan.	S.S. SEGOVIA 28th Jan. FOR HAVRE ROTTERDAN & H MBURG:
E.S. SUEVIA 15th Feb.	FOR HAVEE, HAMBURG & ANTWERP:
S.S. BELGRAVIA 26th Feb.	SS. SILESIA JUIL Feb.
B.B. SACHSEN 8th March.	S.S. SAXONIA 14th Feb.
S.S. C. FERD. LAEISZ 30th March.	EOR BOTTERDAM, HAMBURG & ANTWERP
For Further Particulars, apply to-	S.S. SPEZIA 29th Feb.

HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIF. Hongkong Office. Hergkeng, 5th January, 1912.

## INDO-CHINA S. NAV. CO., LD.

PROJECTED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG (SUBJECT! TO ALTERATION).

STEAMERS "SINGAPORE, PENANG & CALCUTTA" LAISANG" ..... Saturday, 6th Jan., Noon, "WINGSANG" ... Saturday, 5th Jan., 2 P.M. HANGSANG" .. Tuesday, 9th Jan., Dlight. \*SINGAPORE, PENANG & CALCUTTA" YATSHING"..... Tuesday, 9th Jan., 3 P.M. † SHANGHAI, KOBE AND MOJI... ... "NAMSANG" Friday, 19th Jan., Noon.

RETURN TOURS TO JAPAN, OCCUPYING 24 DAYS).

The Steamers "Kutsane," "Namsane" and "Fooksane" leive about every 3 weeks for Shanghai and returning via Kobe (Inland Sea) and Moji to Hongkong. These vessels have all modern improvements and are fitted throughout with Electric Light.

A duly qualified surgeon is also carried.

Steamers have superior accommodation for First Class Passongers and are fitted throughout with Electric light. † Taking Cargo on through Bills of Lading to Yargtsze Ports, Tsington, Weihaiwei, Chefoo

I Tking Carge on Through Bills of Lading to Kudat, Ishad, Datu, Simporna, Tawao, Wenkean Jesselton and Labuan.

Telephone No. 215, Sub. Exch. 4. or F Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., LTD., GENERAL MANAGERS. Bongkong, 6th January, 1912.

## DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP CO., LD.

HONGKONG-SOUTH CHINA COAST PORTS

IGHEST Class, Fastest and Most Luxurious Steamers on the Coast, having Splendid Accommodation for First Class Passengers. Electric Light. Excellent Cuisine.

#### AMOY AND FOOCHOW AND RETURN. (Occupying 9 to 10 Days).

STEAMSHIP. ... | Capt. J. W. Evans ... | SUNDAY, 7th Jan., at 10 A.M. Capt. W. C. Passmore ... | THURSDAY, 11th Jan., at II A.M. ... | Capt. J. S. Roach ... ... | SUNDAY, 14th Jan., at 10 A.M.

FOR SWATOW AND RETURN.

(Occupying 3 Days). "HAITAN" ... .. | Capt. J. S. Roach ... ... | TUESDAY, 9th Jan., at 11 A.M. Steamers will arrive at and Depart from the Company's Wharf (near Blake Pier). For Freight and Passage; apply to-

DOUGLAS, LAPRAIK & Co.,

GHNESAL MANAGUES.

## TOYO KISEN

IMPERIAL JAPANESE TRANS-PACIFIC MAIL LINES.

SAN FRANCISCO LINE.

Connecting with the WESTERN PACIFIC RAILWAY at SAN FRANCISCO to all Points in the UNITED STATES and CANADA and with TRANS-ATLANTIC LINES for EUROPE.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG (SUBJECT TO ALTERATION DATE OF SAILING. CAPTAIN 21,000 ... H. S. Smith ... FRIDAY, 19th Jan., at Noon. STEAMER 21,000 ... W. W. Greene ... FRIDAY, 16th Feb., at Noon. 11,000 ... A. G. Stevens ... FRIDAY, 8th March, at Noon. ... FRIDAY, 15th Mar., at Noon. . \* Twin Screws

All Steamers are equipped with the Japanese Government Wireless Telegraph and Post Offices + Triple Screws, turbine engines.

THE Triple Serew Steamer "SHINYO MARU" will be despatched for SAN FRANCISCO VIA SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA and HONOLULU, on FRIDAY, 19th January, at Noon.

INTERMEDIATE SERVICE.

HE Twin Screw S.S. "NIPPON MARU," 11,000 tons, Captain A. G. Stevens, will be despatched for SAV FRANCISCO VIA SHANGHAL, NAGASAKI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA and HONULUL. FRIDAY, the 8th March, at NOON.

#### SOUTH AMERICAN LINE.

(In Connection with the NATIONAL RAILWAYS OF MEXICO AT MANZANILLO and the TEHUANTEPEC NATIONAL RAILWAY at SALINA CRUZ.) The Only Regular Direct Service to MEXICAN, CHILIAN and PERUVIAN PORTS. PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG (SUBJECT TO ALTERATION): DATE OF SAILING.

13th Feb., at Noon, 1912. STEAMER 17,500 ... TUESDAY, KIYO MARU ... 9th April, at Noon. ... TUESDAY, ... 11,000 ... FRIDAY, 7th June, at Noon. BUYO MARU. HONGKONG MARU

THE Steamer "KIYO MARU" will be despatched hence for MEXICAN. PERUVIAN and CHILEANP ORTS VIA MOJI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA and HONOLULU, on TUESDAY, 13th February, at Noon.

- ·	TO A RES	FROM :	HONG	KONG	r a	*	
To LONDON , VALPARAISO		i in ∑jet	111	199	*** ``	***	£71-10-0 £57- 0-0
Fares.	by INT	ERMEI	IATE	STE.	AMEI	<b>R.</b>	£20- 0-0
To HONOLULU SAN FRANCIS	sco "		7	186	•••	***	£25- 0-0 £36-10-0
" CHICAGO		., .,		***	***	##F	£40- 0-0
" LONDON VIA I		A TO T.	inter	ohangea	ble ar	ad good	£45- 0-0 for return

Intermediate Steamers of the Pacific Mail S.S. Co. SPECIAL RATES (First Class only) are granted to principal points in the United States. Canada and Europe, on terms which may be obtained from the undersigned. These magnificent steamers are most up-to-date and luxurious in every way. Excellent ouisine and accommodation.

"TENYO MARU" "CHIYO MARU" and "SHINYO MARU" are fitted with Turbine Engines and Triple Screws. Record Speed 213 knots. Through Bills of Lading issued to North, Central and South American Ports. For Further Particulars as to Passage and Freight, apply to

K. MATSDA, AGENT, King's Building (Opposite Blake Pier).

#### KAISHA. SHOSEN OSAKA

REGULAR SERVICES, PROPOSED SAILINGS FLOM HONGRONG. (Subject to Alteration).

## TRANS-PACIFIC SERVICE.

Connecting at TACOMA with THE CHICAGO, MILWAUKEE AND PUGET SOUND RAILWAY

THE CHICAGO, MILWAUKEE AND ST. PAUL RAILWAY only direct train service, without transhipment, also shorked and fastest route, from the Pacific Coast to Chicago). Taking cargo on through Bills of Lading to all Overland Common Points in the U.S.A. and Canada, also to the principal ports in Mexico. Central and South America.

BEVAGI

	FOR	STRAMERS	(Gross reg.)	
1				
	VICTORIA, B.C. & TACOMA via NAGASAKI, KOBE, YOKKAICHI,	"TACOMA MARU"	6,128	WED'DAY, 24th Jan., at 11 A.M.
	AND YOROHAMA			
•	VICTORIA, B.C. & TACOMA via SHANG	. "CANADA MARU"	6,064	TUESDAY, 9th Jan., at 11 A.M.
	HAI, MOJI, KOBE YOKKAICHI, AND YOKO	"PANAMA MARU"	6,059	SATURDAY, 3rd Feb., at 11 A.M.

O. S. K. has made the following revision on 1st class passage to Victoria, Tacoma, Seattle Vancouver, Portland, and San, Francisco:-From Manila ... From Hongkong, Shanghai and Keelung ... From Nagasaki, Maji, Kobe and Yokohama 1st class passage from Hongkong to Victoria, Tacoma, Seattle, Vancouver, Portland and San Francisco ...

The Co.'s Newly Built Steamers have fair speed. Superior accommodation forsteerage Pastengers situated AMIDSHIP. A limited number of Cabin Passengers carried at Low Rates. Best adapted rooms for carrying Silk, Teasure and Parcels. Special attention given toward Express connection.

HONGKONG, SOUTH CHINA COAST PORTS & FORMOSA SERVICE

LBAVES. SUNDAY, 7th Jan., "DAIJIN MARU" TAMSUI VIA SWATOW at 10 A.M. and AMOY WED'DAY, 10th Jan, "SOSHU MARU" ANPING VIA SWATOW at 8 AM. and AMOY

For information of Freight, Passages, Sailings, etc., apply at the Co.'s Local Branch Office, at Second Floor, No. 1, Queen's Buildings s. HIROL MANAGER

772778]

#### FRANCAIS ASIATIQUE EST

MESSAGERIES MARITIMES, AGENTS.

MAIL SERVICE TO AND FROM

### TONKIN

S.S. "SI-KIANG," Capt. E. de Catalano.

(1ST AND 2ND CLASSES) will leave Hongkong for KWANG CHOW WANG IND HAIPHONG,

on WEDNESDAY, the 17th JAN., 1912, at 9 A.M.

For Passages and Freight apply to P. THOMAS, M.M. Co.'s Agent.

MAIL STEAMSHIP U.S. JAPAN

PROJECTED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONC SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.

WED'DAY, 1765 IYO MARU Jan., at Daylight. Capt. R. Takeda. MARSEILLES, LONDON and ANTWERP, VIA SINGA PORE, PENANG COLOMBO (WED'DAY, 3!st HIRANO MARU SUEZ and PORT SAID Jan., at Daylight. Capt. H. Fraser. AWA MARU VICTORIA, B.C., Jan., at Noon. Capt. T. Irizawa. 7.000 SEATTLE VIA SHANGHAI (TUESDAY, 13th SADO MARU MOJI, KOBE, YOKKAICHI Feb., at Noon, and YOKOHAMA Capt (SATURDAY, 27th) SADO MARU Jan., from Konn VICTORIA, B.C., & SEATTLE Capt. Richardo. FRIDAY, KUMANO MARU SYDNEY and MELBOURNE, Jan, at Moon Capt. M. Winckler, 6,000 VIA MANILA, THURSDAY (FRIDAY, 16th ISLAND, TOWNSVILLE YAWATA MARU Feb., at Noon. and BRISBANE ... ... 5,000 Car t. T. Sekine,

SATURDAY, 13th

[12--|3-**-14** 

and COLOMBO ... ... ... 5,000 Capt. J. Teranaka, (THURSDAY, 18th KAMO MARU Jan., at 11 A.M. KOBE and YOKOHAMA ... Capt. F. L. Sommer, (WED'DAY: 17th YAWATA MARU -Jan, at Noon. NAGASAKI, KOBE & Yokohama ( 。 5,**00**0 Capt, T. Sekine. (SATURDAY, 6th TOSA MARU SHANGHAI, MOJI & KOBE 6,000 Capt Sato, (SATURDAY, 13th

COLOMBO MARU

BOMBAY VIA SINGAPORE, (†

NEW

JINSEN MARU SHANGHAI and KOBE ... Capt, M. Machida, § Fitted with New System of Wireless Telegraphy. Carries Dock Passingers, & Carries only.

## KOBE & CATCUTTA.

REGULAR FORTNIGHTLY SERVICE FROM, KOBE TO CALCUTTA, CALLING AT HONGKONG, SINUAPORE, PENANG AND RANGOON.

The next steamer from Hongloom: -"HIROSHIMH MARU," 4,000 tons, Capt. Hirase, Saturday, Dec. 30th

## SEASON

	FOR	EUROPE.	•-,	
STEAMER	Tons	CAPTAIN		FROM HOROKONG
TANGO MARU	8,000	K. Kawara		Fabruary 14th.
KAMO	9.000	F. L. Sammer		• February 28th. Wareh 13th.
AKI	7.000	K. Homma	1+4	March 13th. March 27th.
MISHIMA "	9,000	A. C. Moses		April 10th.
KAGA	7,000	M. Hagino		April 21th.
ATSUTA "	9.000	Wm. Thompsen T. Yamawaki	•••	flay oth.
HITACHI "	7,000	T. Murai	• • •	May 22nd
MIYABAKI ,	9,000		•••	
	FOR	SEATTLE.		WA 1 /57/3
INABA MARU	7,000	S. Tominage		February 27th.
TAMBA	7,000	K. Noda	. **	March 26th. April 9th.
SANUKI	7,000		***	
AWA		T. Irizawa		April 23rd. May 21st.
INABA	7,000	S. Tominaga	**4	Mark A
For further inform	nation, apply to	T. KUSUN	юто,	MANAGER.

## PENINSULAR STEAM NAVIGATION CO.

PASSENGER SEASON, 1912. HOMEWARD

PROPOSED SAILINGS OF MAIL STEAMERS

#### LONDON TAKING PASSENGERS ALSO FOR

COLOMBO, INDIA, AUSTRALASIA, EGYPT, BRINDISI, &c. THEOUGH TICKETS ISSUED TO DOSTON AND NEW YORK.

Connecting Steamers Leave STEAMERS MARSEILLES PLYMOUTH from Colombo to (Brindisi | (London | Hongkond MARSHILLES & LONDON 2 daysearlier) \_ day later) Согомво FRIDAY. Tons | SATURDAY Tons 1 P.M. SATURDAY Steamer March 8 March 2 MANTUA .....11000 March 22 MACEDONIA 10500 March 15 HIMALAYA... 7000 . February April 5 March 30 MOREA ......11000 DEPHI ..... 8000 April 19 April 1 Through Steamer INDIA ...... 8000 May MOLĎAVIA...11000 DRVANHA ... 8000 MALOJA .....12500 DELTA ...... 8000 MONGOLIA...10000 ASSAYE ..... 7500 MALWA .....11000 DHTHI ...... 8000

Passengers change Steamers at COLOMBO, with exception of s.s. "INDIA" and those for BEINDISI transfer also to the Express Mail Steamer at PORT SAID.

Accommodation in the connecting Steamer from COLOMBO is definitely reserved in Hongkong at the time of Booking.

FARES TO LONDON: 18T SALOON £71.10 SINGLE, £106.14 RETURN. IN ADDITION TO THE ABOVE MAIL STEAMERS INTERMEDIATE (Non-Transhipment) STEAMERS WILL LEAVE FOR

LONDON CARRYING 1ST AND 2ND SALOON PASSENGERS AT REDUCED RATES PROPOSED SAILINGS:

STEAMERS			Leave Honckond	Due London
NYANZA NILE NUBIA SUMATRA NAMUR PALAWAN BORNEO SYRIA NORE	141 140 144  141 140 144  141 140 144	Tonpage 7000 7000 6000 5000 5000 5000 7000	about February 7 March 6 April 3 April 17 May 1 May 15 May 29 June 12 June 26	about March 22 April 19 May 17 May 31 June 14 June 29 July 13 July 27 August 10

These Steamers call also at SINGAFORE, PENANG, COLOM 20, and at MARSEILLES FARES TO LONDON:

18T SALOON £55.0 SINGLE. £82.10 RETURN. For further Parliculars, apply to-

E. A. HEWETT, SUPERINTENDENE

Hongkong 6th January, 1912.

# TITISDIQ

THE CALCULATING MACHINE!



Calculates in 4 Seconds:

 $95876 \times 3989 = 382,449,364.$ 

For every Calculation! More than 18,000 in use. General Agent for Hongkong and China:

HUGO C. A. FROMM,

4, Queen's Buildings, 3rd Floor. Tel. No. 960. Hougking, 3rd January, 1912.



Hongkong, 3rd January, 1912.

Obtainable from Local

Stock at:

\$220.

Hugo C. A. Fromm,

Honokong,

Hongkong ... 20 Hongkong ...10

Telephone No. 960.

Queen's Buildings,

[48-15]

#### COMMERCIAL. -: 0:--

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

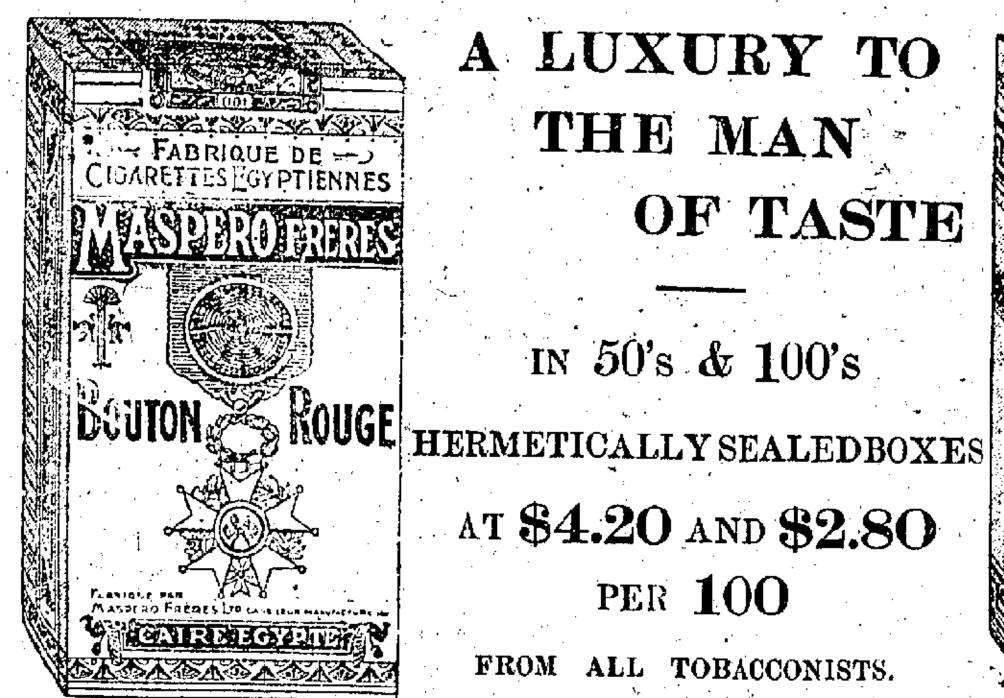
ŀ	, ————————————————————————————————————
ļ	January 5th,
	On London:-
	Telegraphic Transfer
1	Bank Bills, on demand
	Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight1/102
	Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight1/103
	Credits, at 4 months' sight
-	Documentary Bills 4 months' sight1/11
	ON PARIS:—
	Bank Bills, on demand2351
•	Credits, at 4 months' sight240
٠	ON GERMANY:-
	On demand1912
	ON NEW YORK:
	Bank Bills, on demand453
	Credits, at 60 days' sight461
	ON BOMBAY:-
	Telegraphic Transfer139
м	Bank, on demand1391
	ON CALGUTTA:-
	Telegraphic Transfer
	Bank, on domand
	ON SHANGHAI :-
	Bank, at sight742
	Private, 30 days sight
	ON YOKOHAMA:—On demand91
	ON MANILA:—On demand—Pesos—912
	ON SINGAPORE:—On demand791
	ON BATAVIA:—On demand
	On Harphond:—On demand
	On Saigon:—On demandpar
	On BANGKOK:—On demand
	Sovernigns, Bank's Buying Rate \$10.65
	GOLD LEAF, 100 fine, per tael

Chinese .....20 cents pieces.....85.37 discount Chinese .....10

BAR SHIVER, per oz. ......25 18

# THE CIGARETTES OF DISTINCTION Bollon Rolle



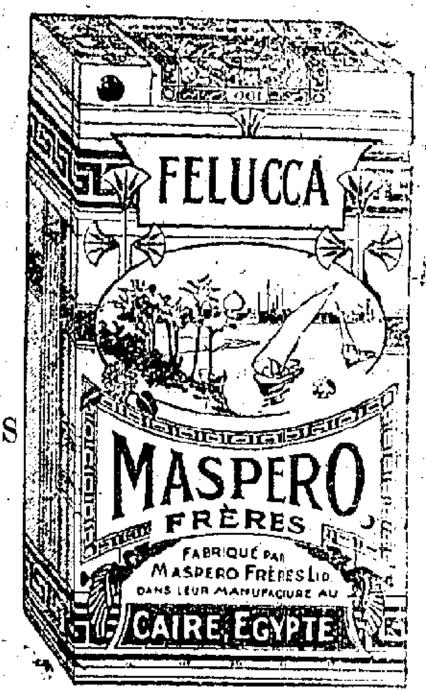


## LUXURY THE MAN OF TASTE

IN 50's & 100's

AT \$4.20 AND \$2.80 PER 100

ALL TOBACCONISTS.



americain

Sole Representative for Hongkong and South China Hugo C.A. Fromm. Hongkong.

Hon	Hongkong, 3rd January, 1912.					·	! 48-22	
<del></del>	*	<b>P</b> 08	T OF	FICE	NOTI	CE "	* 1	<del></del>
saspend	The Parce of Hupeh, S	ol Post sys Szechuan, H	tem to the unan, Kweic	following	g places i and Teng	n China yueh	is for the	present
till Noo	The Parce on for the deli	el Post Office very of parce FOR	e will be op els received	on on Suby the in-	inday nex coming E PER	t, the 7th nglish M	inst, from ail.	8 s.m.
Singapore Batavia,	ard nd Heiphong e, Peneng and Cheribon, S Jacassar	l Calcutta amarong	Sourabaya.	- 1	ong	Satur Satur Satur Satur	day, 6th, day, 6th, day, 6th, day, 6th,	8.00 A 9.00 A 10.00 A 10.00 A

Ether B. &c. India via Tuticorin ... (Late Letters 11.00 A.M. to Noon. Extra Postage 10 cents.) (Supplementary mail on board up to the time fixed for departure of the mail | Devanha ... Extra Postage 10 conts) 1045 A M) Letters posted in all the Pillar Boxes in Registration, Kowloon time for the first clearance will be 9.30 A M included in this contract mail) No late fee Manila, Cebu and Iloilo ... Saturday, 6th. Saturday, 6th Saigon Saturday, **BH**ANGHAI (SIBERIAN MAIL TO EUROPE) Saturday, Swatow and Deli Saturday, Swatow, Amoy and Shanghai Kanchow ... Saturday. 6th. Saturday, 6th, Shanghai (Siberian Mail to Europe) Registration Letters Swatow, Amoy and Foochow Sunday, Swatow, Amoy and I amsui Paijin Maru Sunday. Shanghai ... ... Waishing 7th, Sui Tai Monday, Swatow and Shanghai Monday, Shanghai, Moji, Kobe, Yokohuma, Victoria

and Tacoma ... Canada Moru Swatow Haitan Takao and Apping T'jipanas Shanguai, Kobe and Moji Japan Macao Tsingtan, Weihaiwei and Chefoo Manila, Cebu and Iloio ... Kaifong ... Manile, Cebu, Hoile, Timer, Port Darwin, Thursday Island, Cooktown, Cairns, Townsville, Brisbane, Sydney, Hobart, Launceston, New Zealand, Dunedin, Melbourne, Aldeaide, Porth and Fromantle EUROPE &c., INDIA VIA TUTICORIN (Late Letters 11.00 A.M. to 11.30 A.M. .. Extra Postage 10 cents.) Prinz Ludwig (Letters posted in all the Pillar Boxes

in time for the first clearance will be included in this contract mail.) Manila, Mangarin, Iloilo and Cebu-Zafiro Hoihow, Pakhoi and Haifong Sungkang (Taking Mails for Pakhoi) ... Swatow, Amoy and Foochow ... ... Haiching ... Shanghai .. ... Chenan ... Singapore, Penang and Calculta Arraicon Apoar ... SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA, HONOLULU and SAN FRANCISCO.

Korea ... SIBERIAN MAIL TO EUROPE Singapore, Penang and Bombay Robe and Moji ... ... Tjiliwong ... Shanghai ... SIBERIAN MAIL TO EUKOPE.

PrintedMatter and Sam-... 10.00 а м Registration ... 10.00 A M Registration with late fee of 10 cents up to

11.00 A Br 1.00 p.m 1.15 р м 6th, 2.00 m REFINERIES. 6th, 3.00 P M 6th, 5.00 P M . 5.00 P M 5.00 P M 6.00 P M 9.00 A M 9.00 A M 9.00 A M 1.15 P M 5.CO r M 9th, 9.00 A M Tuesday. Tuesday. 9tb, 10 00 A M Tuesday. 9th, 11.00 A M Tuesday. Noon. Tuesday, 9th, 1 15 P M Tuesday. .2.00 P M Tuesday. 3.00 P M Tuesday, United Asbestos Oriental Agency, Limited,

3 00 p m Wednesday, 10th, 10.00'A M Wednesday, 10.h, Printed Matter and Sam-Ples ... 10.00 A M Registration ... 10.00 A M (Registration with late to 10.45 A M Registration Kowloon 9.30 AM

No late fee Letters .. ... 11.00 A M Saturday, 10th, 3.00 P M Thursday, 11th, 9.00 A M ... Thursday, 11th, 10.00 M Thursday, 11th, 3.00 P M Friday, 12th, 10.00 AM Friday, Printed Matter, and Sam. ... \* 1.. 10.00 л м Registration ... 10.15 A M (Registration, with late fee of 10 cents, up to 11.00 A M). Registration Kowloon Temperature ... 9.30 AM Humidity..... No late fee Letters Noon Saturday, 13th, 11.00 A W Weather ..... Saturday, 13th, 1.00 PM Saturday, 13th, Registration 5.00 PM 6.00 P M

HONGKONG, JANUARY 5th, 1912. SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS. VALUE. PAID UP. CLOSING QUOTA-STOCKS. SHARES. TIONS CASH. BANKS.---∫\$875, buyers 120,000 Hongkong & Shanghai Bank Corporation L'don £82 60,000 50,000 50,000 200,000 China Borneo Company, Limited ... \$10, buyers China Light and Power Company, Limited. **§ \$1.20, buyers**-China Provident, Loan & Mortgage Co., Ld., 20,000 Tls. 50 125,000 Tls. 75 8,000 Tls. 100 Tls. 50 Ewo Cotton Spin'g. & Weaving Co., Ld. Hongkong Cotton Spinning Co., Ld. ... International Cotton Manufing Co., Ld. Laou-Kung-Mow C. Spin. & Weav. Co., Ld. Soy Chee Cotton Spinning Co., Limited \$4.60, buyers Tls. 51 Tls. 65 20,000 40,000 Tls. 50 Tls. 28 Dairy Farm Company, Limited 3201 DOCKS AND WHARVES .-60,000 50,000 10,000 55,700 36,000 400,000 7,000 H'kong & Kowleen Wharf & G. Co., Ld. Hongkong and Whampen Dock Co., Ld. \$55½, buyers \$46½, buyers New Amoy Dock Co., Limited ... Shanghai Dock and Engineering Co., La \$7\frac{1}{4}, buyers Tls. 57 The 100Tls. 100 Skanghai and Hougkew Wharf Co., Ld., Green Island Coment Co., Limited ... Tls. 89 \$3.60, buyers Hongkong and China Gas Co., Limited **\$200** 60,000 12,000 8,000 15,000 50,00 60,000 15,000 Hongkong Electric Co., Limited \$21, buyers Hongkong Hotel Company, Limited ... Manila Metropole Hotel Limited P91, sellers Hongkong Ice Company, Limited ... Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Co., Limited H'kong & South China Steam Fisheries Co., Ld. \$207, buyers 5, sellers 10,000 20,000 Canton Insurance Office Co., Limited . \$190, buyers China Fire Insurance Co., Limited \$13 \ buyers \$25 **\$105.** \$50 **\$355**, buyers 24,000 China Traders Insurance Co., Limited... 8,000 10,000 12,400 12,000 \$250 Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Limited £5 Tls. 145 North-China Insurance Co., Limited ... \$103 | \$245, buyers \$60 | \$2121, @ Ex 73 Union Insurance Society, Limited \$100 Yangtere Insurance Association, Limited LANDS AND BUILDINGS .--50,000 150,000 6,000 Hongkong Land Invest. Agency Co., Ld 3102, buyers Humphreys' Estate and Finance Co., Ld. 862, buyers Kowloon Land and Building Co., Ld. .. \$30 | \$30, buyers

78,000 12,500 Tls. 50 Shanghai Land Investment Co., Limited Tis. 93 West Point Building Co., Limited \$49, buyers Maatschappij tot Mijn-, Bosch-en Landbouw exploitatie in Langkat ... 25,000 Gds, 10 Tls. 74½, buyers MINING. SociétéFrançaise desCharb'ges du Tonkin 16,000 **2**00,000 Fcs. 250 Raub Australian Gold Mining Co., Ld... \$11½, sales Peak Tramways Co., Limited ... Philippine Co., Limited \$5, buyers China Sugar Refining Co., Limited \$100 20,000 8104, buyers all \$34½, sellers Luzon Sugar Refining Co., Limited " ... STEAMSHIP COMPANIES. China and Manila Steamship Co., Ld. ... 30,000 20,000 80,000 \$10, sal. & bu. Douglas Steamship Co., Limited Hongkong, Canton & Macao S.B. Co., Ld. \$28, buyers ∫ L'don. Indo-China Steam Navigation Co., Ld \$60,sel. {£5 10s. 60,000 def. Shell Transport & Trading Co., Limited. 2,500,000 Star Ferry Company, Limited § \$271, buyers \$17, buyers South China Morning Post, Limited Steam Laundry Company, Limited ... \$6½, sellera STORES AND DISPENSARIES,-Campbell, Moore & Co., Limited \$15, buyers Wm. Powell, Limited 15,000 35. sales Watkins, Limited 10,000 83, buyers A. S. Watson & Co., Limited .... \$43, buyors Weissmann, Limited \$15, buyers Gando Price & Co., Ltd. ... 512, buyers

50,000

4/4½ per lb., buyers

Quotation.

-January 2nd.

January 5th.

LOW WATER,

l me.

h. m. 4 56

Daily Wire

Loans. Amount. Value. Interest. Chinese Imperial 1886 Tis. 767,200 | Tis. 250 | 7% p. annum | Par. VERNON & SYMTH, Share Brokers. MAILS VIA SIBERIA. TO-NIGHT fee of 10 cents. up 9 P.M.—Boxing at the City Hall. London Date December 16th. FORTHCOMING EVENTS. December 20th. Wednesday, 10th Jan.—Extraordinary General LUNGKUNG TIDE TABLE. Meeting of Hongkong Jockey Club, at 12.30 P.M. From 6th to 12th January, 1912 HIGH WATER. HONGKONG METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER.

Union Waterboat Co., Limited

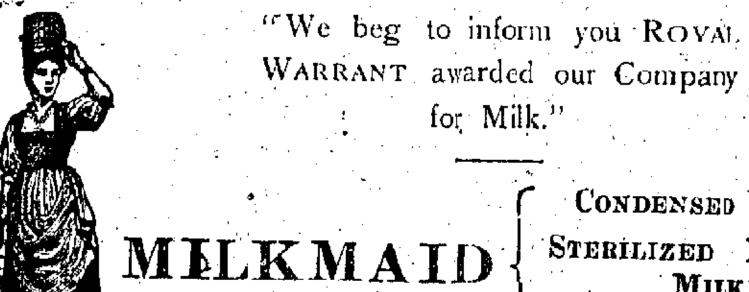
Para Rubber in London

RUBBER.

. H'kong H'kong ' Mean Mean Hongkong Observatory, January 5th. Time. Previous On Date On Date at 4 p.m. 10 a.m. 4 p.m. Barometer 30.17 30.08 Wind Direction ... ESE Tues. Forceti ..... 10 m 0.56 Rain ..... Thurs 11 m 2 6 5 7 m 8 49 2 1 Highest open air Temperature on 4th...65 Lowest open air Temperature on 4th., 58 12 m 3 19 | 5 0 m 9 34 | 2 6 4 43 1 5 6 11 18 2 3 5

# TELEGRAM

RECEIVED ON 11.11.11. RROM LONDON:-



WARRANT awarded our Company CONDENSED MILK.

> STERILIZED NATURAL MIIK.

Evaporated

STORES.

34.2

CREAM.

29



The famous King George IV. Whisky is one of the proprietary brands of the Distillers Company, Ltd., of Edinburgh and London. It is guaranteed to contain only the very finest Highland Malts and is matured in Sherry Wood. It is absolutely the right Whisky to take. No ill effect. Try it with our world. Tansan, Consistency famed guaranteed. SOLE AGENTS.

## GANDE, PRICE & Co., LTD.,

WINE MERCHANTS 12, QUEEN'S ROAD, CENTRAL, HONGKONG.

Telephone No. 135.

William C. Jack & Co., Ltd.,

Electrical and Mechanical Engineers.

AGENTS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION SHIPS,

MOTOR BOAT AND LAUNCH BUILDERS.

. 14, Des Væux Road Central, Hongkong.

TELEPHONE | OFFICE 358

TELEPHONE " MARINEWORK."

Printed and Published by ALFRED NORMAN Voeux Road Central, Victoria, Hongkong; Lond Kemp for the Concerned at 104, Des on Office, 131. Fleet Street E.C.